

PRESIDENT READY TO CALL UPON CONGRESS

FRENCH STAGGERED BY MIGHTY TEUTON SMASH MANY POSITIONS LOST

'T WAS A HARD JOB TAMING WILD MEN IN THE ISLANDS

Sheer American Courage and Good Old Yankee Bluff Turned the Trick Mostly

HEAD HUNTING STAMPED OUT

American Officers Repeatedly Risked Lives in Dealing Out Law and Justice to Filipinos

IN TAMING THE WILD MEN

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 23.—Advocates of Philippine independence hold that the non-Christian tribes are no more of a problem than are the Indians in the United States. Their opponents say that the parallel would be more accurate if there were fourteen million Indians in this country, if they had recently come off the war-path, and were anxious to go back to it. The truth lies somewhere between these extremes of opinion, but at least the non-Christian tribes are a problem, and at worst they can be a serious menace.

Nobody knows exactly how many of the non-Christian people there are. It is certain that there are enough of them to form an important element in the total population. Some Filipinos have set their number as low as half a million. Other estimates, including that of the census, put them nearer the three-quarter million mark. Mr. D. C. Worcester, for thirteen years a member of the Philippine commission and secretary of the interior for the islands, reckons them in great detail, island by island, to a total well over a million. Mr. Worcester is probably better acquainted with this particular question than any other American.

The total population of the archipelago is about eight millions. Thus seven million Filipinos will have from half a million to a million non-Christians, whose territory embraces about half the land area of the islands, to police, educate, sanitate, administer and govern.

Not Exactly Wild

The question is somewhat simplified by the fact that these wild tribes are in some ways not exactly wild. They are savage, and in the very recent past waged savage warfare, but they are intelligent and quick to progress. There is a tribe in the interior of Mindanao that lived in the tree-tops five years ago. Today that tribe lives in villages, uses late-model disc plows and trims the public plaza with a lawn-mower.

Such tribes have been won to law (Continued on Page 5 Col. 5)

DRIVE IS GREATEST SINCE ALLIES WERE BROKEN LAST MAY

Berlin Official Statement Says Three Thousand French Have Been Made Prisoners

VERDUN CENTER OF MAELSTROM

Germans Hurling in Great Numbers Against French Along Fifteen-mile Front

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The crown prince has delivered the greatest smash against the allies' western front since the English lines were broken at Ypres last May. In a mighty offensive against the French outer positions defending the great fortress of Verdun, the Germans have captured nearly six miles and a half of French trenches, according to an official statement from Berlin this afternoon. The German war office also reports the capture of 3,000 French prisoners and great quantities of booty.

The French war office admits in an official statement that the crown prince is hurling a great army against the French lines north of Verdun, on a front fifteen miles wide. No similar attack has been made by either side in the west in many months excepting the French offensive in Champagne last September.

The battle is raging less than ten miles from the city of Verdun itself on the east bank of the Meuse river. Berlin reported the Germans have hurled back the French on a wide front between the village of Consenvoye, on the Meuse and the village of Azannes, eight miles east of the river.

Paris reported the heaviest fighting around the Haumont woods, just south of the Consenvoye and Azannes lines, where the crown prince is attempting to blast a way through the outer forts of Verdun. The German losses have been enormous, according to the French official statement, which quotes German prisoners as declaring that entire German battalions have been slaughtered.

The German infantry attack was preceded by 48 hours of continuous bombardment, which evidently wrecked the advanced French positions. The crown prince is smashing southward, hoping to conquer the outer defenses of Verdun and bring up German 42 centimetres to level the great fortress.

By another forward drive, the Germans have captured 700 yards of French trenches east of Heildewiler, in Alsace, the German war office announced. Eighty French prisoners were taken in this operation.

WILSON DECIDES TO CUT SHORT PARLEY WITH GERMANY AND PLACE ISSUE WITH LEGISLATORS

MAY HOLD ENGLAND TO PACT TO CHECK ATTACKS ON DIVERS

Archives Show That Britain Promised Not to Allow Merchant Ships to Attack Submarines

GERMANS CLAIM FAITH BREACH

Documents Tending to Show Boats Were Ordered to Attack U-Boats Expected

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Whether England has broken faith with the United States in questions affecting arming of merchantmen, was a new question raised today in the submarine warfare dispute with Germany.

Examination of state department archives disclosed a British pledge directly bearing on the Teutonic-American controversy. If officials believe this pledge has been broken, protest to England is probable. The British promise was that England would not permit merchantmen to take the offensive against submarines. Against this, Germany is mailing copies of alleged secret orders of the British admiralty to English merchant vessels to sink submarines of the central powers whenever possible and under any conditions.

May Demand Fulfillment. While Secretary Lansing has continually held that negotiations with the belligerents shall be prosecuted separately, this government may demand fulfillment of Spring-Rice's pledge, if the papers enroute from Berlin prove existence of the alleged secret orders to British vessels.

Ambassador Bernstorff expects to receive before the week end directions from his foreign office regarding the German reply to Secretary Lansing's notice that this government regards the new Teutonic decree as to armed merchantmen illegal.

Both state department and German embassy officials believe chances remote of postponement of the new German U boat campaign.

Propaganda in Congress?

Members of congress laid before President Wilson today evidence that a strong propaganda is under way in congress to bring about legislation desired by the German government.

The propaganda is seeking the accomplishment of two things: First—The stopping of shipment of munitions and supplies from this government to the allies; second—a warning to Americans to stay off any armed merchantmen or liners.

BALDWIN ENGAGED LIBRARY COUNSEL IN MANDAMUS SUIT

Suit Is to Be Heard March 5 by Judge E. C. Higbee According to Present Prospect

ACTION IS FRIENDLY MOVE

Library Trustee Says City Officials Are Anxious to Pay if It Shall Be Found Legal

Attorney Cameron L. Baldwin has been engaged by the executive board of the La Crosse Public Library to draw the complaint which will be the basis for a mandamus action brought by the library board against the city of La Crosse to bring about payment of the annual \$6,000 annual appropriation, members of the library board said today.

"We need the appropriation," Judge John Brindley, member of the board, said today, "but the action will be an entirely friendly one. I understand that city officials are anxious, if it shall be proved legal, to pay the library the sum which it needs to maintain it this year."

Attorney Baldwin, it is believed, will file papers in the action shortly with F. H. Aiken, clerk of circuit court. The suit may be heard by Judge Edward C. Higbee March 5, when the next motion day will occur. Judge Brindley stated to the TRIBUNE today that in his opinion the payment of the appropriation was wholly legal, and that the real purpose of the law is misconstrued in believing that it classes among the "illegal" payments.

GLOOM PERVADES WASHINGTON OVER TURN OF AFFAIR

Relations Between U. S. and Germany Depend Upon Instructions En Route Now to Bernstorff

IS HE ORDERED TO DELAY?

President Intends to Make Emphatic Refusal to Temporarily Next Step Is Rupture of Relations

BERLIN, Feb. 23.—German troops have captured more than six miles of French trenches north of Verdun, according to an official statement from the war office this afternoon.

Three thousand French prisoners and great quantities of booty were taken. The German gain was in the neighborhood of Consenvoye and Adannes.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The appearance of President Wilson before congress in the next few days to announce his desire to break off diplomatic relations with Germany was forecasted this afternoon by high administration officials.

It became known this afternoon that President Wilson has determined to permit no more parleying in the submarine controversy. If Germany, as administration officials now believe likely, endeavors to bring about further complications, the president is prepared to cut matters short by placing the whole incident in the hands of congress.

This action is certain to follow, one official said, if intimations coming from German sources are correct. These intimations are that the German foreign office is sending instructions to Ambassador Bernstorff to play for further delay in the termination of the Lusitania dispute and for a long discussion of technicalities over the armed merchantmen decree scheduled to go into effect March first.

Bernstorff is expected to receive his instructions in the next forty-eight hours. Today it was declared by reliable authority that the president intends to make his refusal to temporize so emphatic that there will be no doubt left of his purpose to require a closing of the Lusitania negotiations in keeping with the original demands of this government.

Since Germany is not expected to withdraw the armed merchantmen decree, it was pointed out, one thing only will be left for the president to do and that is to cut off diplomatic relations. This would mean the handing of his passports to Ambassador Bernstorff.

The president, it is declared, is committed to the move, but does not desire to act without first laying the matter before congress. That, it is said, explains the long conference on Monday night between the president and Senate Leader Kern, Chairman Stone of the senate foreign relations committee and Chairman Flood of the house foreign affairs committee. Every party to that conference has refused to discuss the nature of the matters discussed, but it is known that at least one of them has indicated his personal apprehension that certain courses considered might lead to war.

Done With Parleying. The president, officials said today, is done with parleying. Already they say, as the result of vigorous activities on his part in the past few days, the agitation among democrats in congress for a resolution warning Americans to keep off armed merchantmen has collapsed.

Investigation this afternoon disclosed that democrats favoring such a resolution have not changed their mind, but the idea that the White House would support the action having been blasted, the desire to press a resolution has disappeared.

While administration circles took a gloomy outlook of the situation this afternoon, it was suggested that as in the case of the Lansing-Bernstorff trouble, publicity of the facts might serve to prevent a break.

It was pointed out that even in event of the president going before congress an opportunity will be presented, between the reading of any message by Wilson and action by congress during which Germany might "see a light."

MADE TORCH OF SELF

CROSBY, N. D., Feb. 23.—Temporarily insane, Miss Rose Miller, domestic, soaked her clothes with kerosene and touched a match to them. She was roasted and died in terrible agony.

BIG RAILROADERS COME TO CITY FOR FREIGHT HEARING

Officials and Attorneys for Railroads Gather When Commission Opens Sessions Today

BIG CASE WILL BE UP LAST

Evidence This Afternoon Is Taken Relative to Switching Charge Against La Crosse Company

Importance of the freight rate hearing which opened at the city hall at 2 o'clock this afternoon was indicated by the assembling in the city this morning of several well-known railway officials. J. N. Davis, Milwaukee, counsel, and Charles A. Lahey, assistant general freight traffic manager from the Chicago offices of the Milwaukee road, came in early today. George C. Crosby, assistant general traffic manager of the Burlington, was also on the ground.

Carl D. Jackson, member of the railroad commission, came to the city for the hearing this morning. Mr. Jackson is the only member of the commission who will be at the hearing. Mr. Jackson said this morning that Halford Erickson, oldest member of the commission, had intended to be here, but that he is busy in Chicago exhuming statistical information in connection with the Tittmore rate cases, hearings on which are to be resumed at Madison Monday.

It was expected today that the local hearing will be concluded tomorrow evening. That the railroads will reserve their defense, putting it in at Madison for the Tittmore and La Crosse cases at the same time, was considered a possibility. This move was contemplated, it was understood, to shorten the record.

Big Complaint Last. It was agreed this afternoon, when the hearing opened, to take up first the complaint concerning the switching charge against the La Crosse Stone Company. This will be followed by evidence in regard to the complaint of the coal dealers, through the La Crosse Shippers' association, for a reduction in rates and reparation. The general complaint, the most important of the three, will be taken up last.

S. J. Bolton, commissioner of the La Crosse Shippers' association, was the first witness called this afternoon. That switching charges of the Burlington road for a car of stone (Continued on Page 6, Col. 1)

BRANDEIS AGAIN DUBBED TRAITOR IN INVESTIGATION

Fifty-five Boston Attorneys Says Supreme Bench Nominee Is Guilty of Double Dealing

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Massing their final attack on Louis D. Brandeis, fifty-five Boston lawyers, through their counsel, Austin G. Fox today preferred three new charges of "double dealing" against the president's nominee for the supreme bench.

These charges are: That in 1906 Brandeis acted for a protective committee of stockholders against the officers of the Equitable Life Insurance company and that within nine months he appeared for the company as opposed to George G. Peters, a stockholder.

That he acted as attorney for a Mr. Stewart against the officers of the Gillette Safety Razor company, alleging mismanagement, and that within a few months he deserted these clients and aided Gillette against them.

That he aided E. H. Harriman to gain control of the Illinois Central from Stuyvesant Fish in a deal which caused Roosevelt to call Harriman an undesirable citizen. It was at this time Brandeis was alleged to have been attacking officers of the Boston & Maine railroad for the same practices which, the fifty-five allege, he aided Harriman to perform with the Illinois Central.

Fox today alleged that Brandeis denied before a legislative committee in Massachusetts that he had ever acted directly or indirectly for Harriman, but had said his partner had.

"BOB" FORMALLY PUTS HAT IN RING AT BIG DINNER AT MADISON

BOB'S CONFIDENT OF VICTORY FOR FORCES IN STATE

People of Wisconsin Are Still as Essentially Right as of Old Declares Senator

CAUSE BIGGER THAN ANY MAN

Rather Die Fighting for It Than to Survive and See It Perish Senator Tells Conference

CONFERENCE PLANS CAMPAIGN

Organization Committee with Delegate from Each District Is Appointed to Lay Out Work

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 23.—(Special.)—Senator Robert M. La Follette was tendered a reception little short of an ovation at his appearance here yesterday before the conference of progressive republicans held in the assembly chamber. More than 400 progressives from every part of the state made up the major part of the audience.

Senator La Follette was the first speaker of the afternoon, owing to his wish to attend the funeral of Dr. Henry B. Pavill of Chicago, who was buried here yesterday.

"We are gathered here for the purpose of perfecting our organization and planning our campaign," said Senator La Follette. "It has been suggested that I speak of 'Old Time Campaigns.' But my friends, as I look back over thirty years of political experience, I do not see how there can be any very radical change in a well considered and well directed campaign for government of the people."

One Principal Eternal. "In a democracy one principle is eternal. It must always control. If we would secure equal rights for all, we must have an awakened and enlightened electorate. We can never safely assume that government will care for itself. I am confident we shall nominate and elect a governor and state legislature that will put Wisconsin in the vanguard of progress again. I say this advisedly, not merely because my heart is set on it. I have spoken in enough centers and have come in contact with enough folks during my campaign of the past few months to form a judgment. In the campaign in December, I found the people of Wisconsin as essentially right as in the old time campaigns—open minded, willing, eager to take hold."

Senator La Follette then reviewed the fight of the pioneer progressives in Wisconsin. "I ask no man to go where I am not willing to lead," he concluded. "As a candidate, in a narrow and limited view it might have been easier to have taken the position, that I would not mix in the state fight. If I were thinking of my personal interest only, I would not be here today. Nothing merely personal to myself, would bring me here from Washington. But comrades, you know how I feel, how much bigger the maintenance of the Wisconsin ideal is to me than my office in the gift of the people. I would rather go down fighting for it than survive and see it perish."

Former Secretary of State Walter M. Houser of Mondovi, was chairman of the meeting. In his address he said that the sentiment for Senator La Follette throughout the west for president was growing hourly and he predicted the senior senator would have as good a chance before the convention in Chicago in June as any other candidate.

Lieut. Governor Edward F. Dithmar of Baraboo answered the speech of Governor Philipp in Baraboo last week in which he said that the people of the state have nothing to fear from the railroads and water power interests in the way of excessive taxation and tariffs by saying that the governor was virtually a representative of those interests and naturally solicitous of their welfare.

Manthe Urges Zeal

William Manthe of Fond du Lac, urged that the delegates present show the same zeal in their individual districts that Senator La Follette had always shown in his fight for (Continued on Page 12, Col. 1)

ARMS EMBARGO IS ADVOCATED BY BADGER SENATOR

Patriotic Progressives Under Highest Moral Obligation to Contest Every Foot Says Senator

FOUR HUNDRED ATTEND BANQUET

Listen to Progressive Republican Leaders Score the Philipp Administration

SENATOR BOSSHARD GIVES TALK

La Crosse Man in Speech Filled with Enthusiasm Demands Support of Progressive Ideal

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 23.—"I am a candidate for the republican nomination for president in 1916—as I was in 1912 and in 1908—and for the same reasons. I believe that patriotic progressive republicans are at this time under the highest moral obligation to contest every foot of the ground in every state in the Chicago convention. And I believe that the principles of real progressive republicans will find the staunchest, most uncompromising representation in the progressive republican delegation which Wisconsin will elect to the Chicago convention on the fourth day of April."

This was the statement of Senator Robert M. La Follette before 400 progressive republicans here last night at the "harmony" banquet.

The meeting was, perhaps, the most significant gathering of progressives ever held in Wisconsin. The candidacy of Senator La Follette and State Senator Otto Boss-hard of La Crosse, for president and governor, respectively, were unanimously endorsed.

For Arms Embargo

Senator La Follette came out definitely for an embargo on war munitions.

American maintenance of the right to ship arms and munitions to belligerents has given the breath of life and perpetuity to a war that recognizes no compromise or finish except mutual extermination, the senator said. "More than half of the people of the world are involved in the struggle, which has already killed and wounded 14,000,000 human beings. I believe that history will hold us accountable for our contribution to the general holocaust, and I think it will be hard for future generations to understand why the neutrals kept aloof; why they did not unite under the leadership of the United States in an effort to restore peace and order."

"The precedents of history and of international law should be compelled to yield to the appeal of common humanity," added Senator La Follette.

Many Progressives Speak

The senator's speech was preceded by a number of other speeches. Walter D. Corrigan of Milwaukee denounced many of the pieces of legislation enacted by the last legislature as corporate in tendencies. Attorney General Owen scored the defeat of the fire insurance bill at the last session of the legislature. Ralph E. Smith of Merrill told of an attempt being made by the present administration to hamstring the operation of the prison twine plant at Waupun. Douglas Anderson, former assemblyman from Rhinelander, said that taxes were higher this year than ever before. Former Speaker Merlin Hull pleaded for greater organization among the progressives. A. H. Smith of Merrill spoke in favor of closer organization in the voting districts of the state. John J. Blaine of Boscobel scored the appointment of M. B. Rosenberg to the supreme court. And J. N. Tittmore of Omro read a letter from Emil H. Steiger praising the organization work that the progressives of this state are now doing. Senator Otto Boss-hard of La Crosse made a speech filled with enthusiasm demanding loyalty to progressive principles.

Wild Applause For Bob

It was after 10 o'clock when Senator La Follette reached the banquet hall and was escorted to the speakers' table amid wild applause. His (Continued on Page 12, Col. 2)

WEATHER

Today's Temperatures
Sunrise tomorrow, 6:59.
Sunset tomorrow, 5:47.
6 a. m. 24 10 a. m. 30
7 a. m. 23 11 a. m. 32
8 a. m. 23 12 m. 34
9 a. m. 25 1 p. m. 37

Temperatures Today
High, 36; low, 24; precipitation 0.
For La Crosse and vicinity—Fair tonight and Thursday. No decided change in temperature.

For Wisconsin—Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday. Warmer north-west portion tonight and east portion Thursday. Cooler northwest portion Thursday.

For Minnesota—Generally fair tonight and Thursday. Warmer east and south portions tonight. Cooler Thursday.

For Iowa—Fair tonight and Thursday. Warmer tonight and cooler Thursday in west and central portions.

Weather Conditions
An area of low pressure extends from the lower Mississippi valley to the New England states and local rain has occurred in the Mississippi valley and central states and continuing at a few stations. Snow is falling this morning in northern Michigan and eastern Washington.

The temperature is higher in the Atlantic states, North Dakota and Montana and throughout the Canadian northwest and generally lower in the Plains states, south of North Dakota, and in the upper Mississippi valley.

The pressure is high from the north Pacific coast to western Texas and low in the Canadian northwest.

CHICAGO CHOOSES HOWARD JONES TO SING ANNIVERSARY

La Crosse Poet Honored by Faculty of Great University Planning Celebration

Howard Jones, author of the "Masque and Marsh and River" presented by the normal school last June, and well-known for his "Little Book of Local Verse" recently published, has been chosen by the faculty of the University of Chicago to write the anniversary ode which will be one of the main features of the university's quarter-centennial celebration the coming spring. The celebration will be held in connection with the commencement exercises at the midway school in June.

Friends of Mr. Jones in La Crosse recently received word of the honor conferred by the school. It was regarded as an exceptional tribute to Mr. Jones' talents, since he is not a graduate of the University of Chicago.

ROOSEVELT GETS BID

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—The Illinois State Bar association today announced it had invited Colonel Theodore Roosevelt to Chicago early in June, a few days before the republican and progressive national conventions open.

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PROMINENT DE SOTO GIRL WEDS DAKOTAN

Friends Hear of Marriage of Francis Gauper to Melvin Satre of Claire City

DEATH TAKES THREE INFANTS

Croup and Pneumonia Are Causes; Well Known Men Leave to Take Up Wyoming Claims

DE SOTO, Wis., Feb. 23.—(Special.)—Friends here have just learned of the marriage of Miss Francis Gauper, daughter of O. R. Gauper of Asbury Ridge, to Mr. Melvin Satre of Claire City, S. D.

Mr. Satre is among the most prominent business men of Claire City and is the proprietor of the Rex hotel.

Will Undergo Operation Mrs. Frank Seymour and daughter, Mayme, departed Saturday for La Crosse, where the latter expects to undergo an operation at one of the hospitals.

Death Takes Infants Death has entered the homes of Wesley Smith of Redmond, Carl Johnson of Buck Creek ridge and Henry Rutter of Ferryville, taking an infant from each. Membraneous croup and pneumonia were the causes.

Take Up Claims Carl Glehm and Tom Lattimore of Ferryville will leave about April 1 for Wyoming, where they expect to take up government land. Both have resigned their offices. Glehm as correspondent of the Yecman lodge and trustee of the village, and Mr. Lattimore as marshal and street commissioner. H. L. Lawrence was elected as correspondent as Mr. Glehm's successor in the B. A. Y. lodge.

Martin Knutson Dies Martin Knutson, a resident of Rising Sun, died suddenly of heart disease in La Crosse, where he had been making his home of late. It is understood he dropped on the street, but recovered consciousness and was taken to a hospital where he died soon. The body was brought back for burial on Saturday.

Will Koch Ill Dr. G. F. Andrew of this village was called to Ferryville to attend William Koch, who has an attack of typhoid fever. Mr. Koch was transported to a Dubuque hospital, that he might have the best of nursing.

Miss Aberg Weds. George Brudos and Miss Mabel Aberg, prominent young people of West Prairie, were married Wednesday, February 16, at the Viroqua parsonage by their pastor, Rev. J. J. Jacobson.

Local and Personal Mrs. Ole O. Haugen of Nash Ridge took her 17-year-old daughter, Ida, to La Crosse, where she is to undergo an operation on one of her eyes. A number of Ferryville's younger set went to Lynxville to attend a Valentine party given at the home and in honor of Miss Freda Randall of that place.

It has been noted that Lyle Thompson, principal of the De Soto schools, is being urged to become a candidate for the office of county superintendent of schools of Crawford county.

Mrs. L. A. Swigum and little daughter, Ada, went to La Crosse to secure dental treatment for the latter.

The Ferryville camp of Modern Woodmen of America had its membership increased by the addition of eight new members at last Saturday night's session. This is due to the hustling on the part of District Deputy C. H. Lawrence.

Elmer Groves of Readstown has been a guest here this week in the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McDowell.

D. N. Ames and wife of Ferryville came up to this village to spend a few days among friends.

D. J. Wallace of Victory has been working for George Pulham, the smith here, the past week. Blacksmith Andrew Farason having been laid up with an attack of grip.

William Hayden of Victory Ridge had the misfortune to lose another of his horses, making the third he has lost in the past three years. The animal got loose in the barn and was kicked by one of the other horses, sustaining a broken leg which necessitated shooting.

A son of Mr. and Mrs. George Worman of Redmond, lately underwent an operation for appendicitis at a La Crosse hospital.

Mrs. Rasmus Andersen of this village, is convalescing from a late surgical operation at the Lutheran hospital at La Crosse.

C. S. Upham and wife returned home from Genoa Saturday after a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Georgia Shisler and daughter, Hulda, arrived home from a visit with La Crosse friends Saturday.

Miss Nellie French visited her sister, Mrs. C. L. Curry of La Crosse, Saturday, returning Sunday.

Miss Minnie Vance of West Prairie is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. William Roddan. She was accompanied here by Mrs. James Cox, who went on to La Crosse for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. B. C. Collins and children of La Crosse are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Joseph of the Bary State house.

Helen, the 3-year-old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Tiedeman, had the misfortune to fall down the cellar steps and sustain an ugly gash under her right eye.

George Morelli and wife, his sister, Mrs. Barilina and daughter, Irene, and Miss Myrtle Oliver were Victory visitors Sunday.

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Prairie du Chien, Wis.

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN, Wis., Feb. 23.—(Special.)—Attorney M. R. Munson transacted legal business at Lancaster Monday.

Dr. Willard of Wauzeka, brought Walter Clark to the New Sanitarium suffering with appendicitis. He was operated on Saturday afternoon.

Emery Valley and wife are the parents of twin boys, born Friday; they were baptized at the Catholic church Sunday morning.

W. F. Hammes and wife visited in Dubuque Friday and Saturday.

The Prairie high school scholars presented the three act comedy, "Hicks at College," at the Metropolitan Monday evening to a crowded house.

Miss Anna Grey of Madison, is visiting her sister, Mrs. N. F. Gunderson, on South Church street.

Father Jones, pastor of the Cassville Catholic church, visited Father Becker on Tuesday.

Louis Kaseth of Guttenberg, Ia., was a Prairie visitor Sunday.

Attorney J. S. Earl transacted legal business at Lancaster Monday and Tuesday.

Ernest Schultz transacted business at Chippewa Falls and Fairchild last week.

The basket ball game scheduled between Carroll college and Campion for Monday night was cancelled by Carroll.

H. W. Goldstein of La Crosse, was in the city Monday on business and enroute to Chicago.

Louis Steinbach and son of Bridgeport, transacted business in the city Saturday.

A. D. German of Richland Center.

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GREAT CROWD IS AT CELEBRATION

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The police had to bar the doors of D. A. R. hall here yesterday, so great was the crowd attending the observance of Washington's birthday anniversary. President Wilson and many other high officials participated.

The president presented a medal to Ina M. Lawrence, high school girl. She had written the best essay on the Quebec campaign of 1775.

A new Sousa march, "America First," was played by the United States Marine band.

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WON'T DISTURB "OLD IRONSIDES"

BOSTON, Feb. 23.—Commandant Rush of the Charlestown Navy Yard has put at rest all worry over the fate of the "Constitution," the gallant old frigate which lies at anchor there. In an interview with the United Press, Captain Rush said he was

greatly surprised to have been quoted as saying that "Old Ironsides" must be moved to make room for other and more modern vessels. "In my opinion," said the commandant, "the Constitution comes first. All other ships here must take second place. I regard her as symbolic of the Constitution of the United States and I would as soon destroy one as the other. So long as she lasts, which with adequate repairs should be for

ever, Old Ironsides shall have her place in the yard. I understand I have been quoted as saying we needed the space now occupied in the yard by the frigate, but this is absolutely untrue. The Constitution rides at anchor at the safest spot in the Charlestown Yard, protected against fire in every way. She is within a few hundred feet of the place where she was launched over 100 years ago and each year over 80,000 visitors go aboard and roam up and down the aged hulk, a reminder of the days when the United States swept all before her on the seas."

BURNED TO DEATH

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 22.—Frank Slater, 76, was burned to death, six small children were saved by being tossed out of windows, and a property loss of \$10,000 resulted from a fire which today destroyed the Slater hotel at Wood's Run.

WANTS THIRD TERM

COLUMBIA, S. C., Feb. 23.—Former Governor Cole L. Blease yesterday entered the race for a third term against R. I. Menning, present governor.

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NEWS NOTES from MOVIELAND

"The Shrine of Happiness," the Pathe release for February 26, is the second Gold Rooster play to have been colored. "The Beloved Vagabond" having been the first.

The play was produced in southern California by Balboa, and the locations chosen were so beautiful as to lend themselves particularly well to Pathcolor.

Jackie Saunders is featured in the kind of a part which she has always preferred—that of an unsophisticated, ingenuous country girl.

Lasky Produces Historic Jamestown

On the Lasky ranch in southern California they recently built an extra production of old historic Jamestown, Va. The congressional library and the treasures from many family heirlooms gave up authentic data for the carrying out of this artistic and gigantic undertaking, which will be used as the background for the picturization of Mary Johnson's widely read novel, "To Have and to Hold."

Mae Murray, who was with "The Follies" last season, has the leading role, supported by the familiar members of the Lasky cast.

This new Paramount picture will be seen here in March.

William Humphrey, who has James Oliver Curwood's latest story nearly completed, gives us an insight into political life. Humphrey, who plays the part of a congressman, allows his ambition for position to get the best of his better self and shows to what ends a man will go to acquire a goodly share of the things of the world without regard for his fellow men. It is a three-part Broadway Star feature.

Julia Swayne Gordon had a surprise the other day that almost upset her equanimity. After being the worst kind of a vampire or adventuress for two years her director handed her a script in which she is to play the part of a perfectly good and charming woman. Miss Gordon is forced to confess she doesn't feel at home in the part.

Virginia Pearson, who recently joined the William Fox forces, will shortly begin work on her first fea-



Jackie Saunders.

Her many friends here will be delighted to see her again soon in "The Shrine of Happiness."

ture under the Fox banner, appearing as a modern Cleopatra in what is considered one of the most vertle screen stories ever written.

Gail Kane, the Equitable Girl, has completed the desert scenes in "Her God" and is back in New York. "Her God" will be an Equitable release early in March.

In March Vitaphone will put out through the "big four," "The Hunted Woman," "Colton U. S. N.," "The Two Edged Sword," and "The Supreme Temptation."

When she can find time to spare away from the Metro studios Beverly Bayne takes vocal lessons. She has a fine dramatic soprano voice.

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Frank H. Burgess
Notary Public.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of February, 1916.
James Thompson

A SECOND HAND HARVEST

Broken glass may mean total loss to its owner, but it is yielding thousands of dollars profit annually to men who know how to utilize it. A large sheet of plate glass may be ruined for its original purpose by having a small corner broken off. The second hand glass man buys it cheap, reduces it to a smaller size by cutting off the broken edge and sells it for from half to three-fourths the cost of a piece of new glass of the same dimensions. If the surface is scratched or scarred, as in cases where it has been lettered in a store window, it is ground off to produce the frosted effect desired for many purposes. Contractors for clean buildings are continually upon the alert for second hand glass which is as durable as new.

Most large plate glass windows are insured and the insurance companies depend on the broken panes to be replaced by the glass factories and not by the salvage men. These men also break glass from buildings which are being torn down. They bid for the entire lot at a low price assuming the risk of removing it. Glass that is too small to be utilized again is sold to the glass factories and melted up for cheap bottles.

THE DUTCH ECONOMIC POSITION

The review of the economic position of the Netherlands, which was given by the president of the Amsterdam Chamber of Commerce in a recent speech, showed clearly, amongst other things, how unevenly the war effects the populations of neutral countries. The president pointed out how one part of the population had profited very considerably, whilst another part had not.

the high price of food bearing with special heaviness on those who had fixed incomes.

The country as a whole, however, the speaker showed, had prospered. The exchange rates indicated very clearly, he said, the position of Holland as a neutral trading state, with a debit trade balance, and he was glad to state that the year closed with all these rates in Holland's favor. According to the last statement of the Netherlands bank the gold stocks had doubled during the past year; whilst, of the outstanding bank paper, nearly 76 per cent of the bank notes were covered by gold. The position of the stock and money markets during the past year, the president regarded as very satisfactory, and whilst the Java sugar crop had been a disappointment, imports in many other respects had increased. Perhaps the most interesting point touched upon by the president, however, was the question of labor. Holland, in common with practically every other country in Europe, has been suffering from a serious shortage in masculine labor. In many countries women have very largely taken the place of men, but in Holland the position has been considerably relieved, especially during the past few months, by the employment of interned Belgians.

The position of the Belgian refugee, whether in Holland or in Great Britain, is one which is causing the Belgian government serious concern. The government naturally does not desire to see large numbers of Belgium's skilled workmen settling down to such work outside Belgium as might induce them to remain permanently in the country where they have temporarily found shelter. On the other hand, the undesirability of any large body of people remaining dependent upon relief, for any length of time, is obvious. The Dutch government recognizes, of course, that when the country returns to normal conditions, on the conclusion of peace, and Dutch workmen return to their ordinary work, the presence of large numbers of Belgians in any way established in their places might create a difficult situation. The same, of course, is true of the British government. The whole question will doubtless receive the constant attention of all the authorities concerned.—The Christian Science Monitor.

Not Suited
"Now, here is a showcase," said the commercial traveler, pointing to a peculiar-looking specimen of his wares, "that is bound to become popular. It magnifies everything put in it to double its natural size."
"Can't use it in my business," replied the prospective customer. "What I want is a case that will seemingly reduce the actual size of its contents."
"What is your line?" asked the dealer.
"My specialty is ladies' shoes," replied the other, with a half-suppressed grin.

The Lesser Evil
George—My best girl says she is going to give me a present this year that she made with her own hands.
Harry—What will it be?
George—Eatables or wearables. I hope it's eatables. I'd rather have stomach ache for a week than be the laughing stock of the town for a year.—Life.

Agreed With Him
"Did you speak to father about me, Arthur?"
"Yes, I did, dear, and he agreed with me heartily."
"Then he said I might marry you?"
"Why—er—no. I didn't quite get to the point of asking him that. I just said you were a fine girl."

Hegemony
Hi, Finance—What about the financial hegemony?
D. Vorsay—It's twice what I ought to pay her, and I told the judge so.—Judge.

A Cinch
Mrs. Crawford—If you're separated from your husband and don't speak, what do you expect to get out of him for Christmas?
Mrs. Golightly—Alimony.—Judge.

THE TRIBUNE'S DAILY TRAVELETTE
(By Nicksah)

CADIZ
An impressionable Frenchman once said that if you were to write the word "Romance" on blue paper with a white pencil, you would have a perfect representation of Cadiz. There is much truth in his dictum, even though municipal engineers say hard things about the death rate and the water supply in the old, old Queen of Spanish cities. Blue and white—blue water and gleaming white houses, blue skies by day and white moonlight by night. It seems a pity that you cannot speak of blue eyes and snowy foreheads, but the girls of Cadiz are black-eyed with smooth brown faces. They try gallantly to blend with the general color scheme by a liberal use of powder, but the attempt is a failure.

It is almost heresy to say anything disparaging of the women of Cadiz. They are noted throughout Europe for their beauty, their soft glances and their power to capture the heart of man. The English "tripper" rhymes Cadiz with "maid is" and "Ladies", as soon as he takes out a poetic license. A dispassionate survey of the situation will convince you that popular reports borne out by facts. Not for nothing do the Spaniards call their seaport, Cadiz the Joyous.

There are long clean streets in Cadiz where no vehicle ever passes, there are parks and plazas and public squares, but the real heart of the city is the promenade along the sea, where the ships come in. Cadiz is as much an adjunct of the ocean as any deep-sea creature. Her whole history, that goes back to the treasure-floets of King Solomon, is one long sea-tale. In the days when men spoke of half the waters of the world as the Spanish ocean, the bay of Cadiz was the beginning of all adventure. Over the flat roofs of the city rise scores of ancient watch-towers. Thence merchants watched the waters against the home-coming of treasure ships from Peru and Chile, argosies from Mexico, fleets from Africa and all the unknown lands from the same eminence men of another stamp stared westward over the trackless Atlantic, seeing the vision that took shape when a new world was found.

BAR UNFAIR CRITIC

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 23.—The court of appeals on Tuesday upheld the right of a theater owner to debar a dramatic critic whose criticisms are injurious to the theater's business.

Alexander Wolcott, dramatic critic of a New York newspaper, brought action to compel the Shuberts to admit him to their theaters as a critic. He was denied admission on the ground that his reviews were unjust and hurtful.

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Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

The House of Dreams
Beyond the hills, behind the dawn, across the Seventh sea,
There is a moonlit garden, lass, that waits for you and me.
Where past the river Lethe flows, and by its brooding streams
That lovers know, the poppies blow, it is the House o' Dreams.

And when our hearts are weary, and when our eyes are blind,
With tears of silent sorrowing for loves we've left behind,
Deep do we drink upon its brink, until our fingers meet,
And all the past is gone at last! And oh, the draft is sweet!

The heights are high, O love o' mine, beyond the vales of pain,
Yet shall we seek the utmost peak again and yet again:
The paths to God our feet have trod shall lead, like unto thee—
Beyond the hills, behind the dawn, across the Seventh sea.
—Kendall Banning, in the Cornhill Booglet.

A Real Philanthropist
William F. McCombs says: "Several philanthropic personages were assembled at a club one evening, and conversation had gone to some length when a man who was sitting in a corner arose, and broke into the fest."
"Your philanthropists are all right," he remarked, "but it is only just that my next door neighbor, Fred Watkins, should be included in the kindly disposed bunch."

"We are willing to add him to the list," responded one of the group; "but is he really so generous?"
"Well, I should say he is," was the emphatic and immediate declaration. "Dozens of tramps hammer at his back door, and I have never known him to turn one down—that is completely."
"You don't mean it?" was the astonished reply.
"That's a fact," rejoined the first. "He always gives them a letter of introduction to me."

His Loss
"One day," says a London journalist, "the late Walter Emanuel called on me and chatted delightfully. After half an hour the humorist said he must go and apologized for having taken so much valuable time."

"Don't mention it," I rushed to reply. "It has been a pleasure."
"Oh, it's not your valuable time I'm thinking of," said Mr. Emanuel, as he picked up his hat; "it's mine."

Fine Gas Range
In the picture a cook was using a gas stove. Two housemaids in the audience were watching the scene with great interest.
"Shure, Mary," said one, "do you know, a gas range is a 'foine stove'! We have one where I work. I lit it two weeks ago and it ain't out yet!"
—Photoplay Magazine.

The TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story
PEGGY MAKES A VISIT
BY LOUISE OLIVER
(Copyright, 1916, by the McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)
Dear Priscilla: This place is immense, big to begin with, and perfectly splendid all over. I'm so glad they named me after Aunt Margaret. But never mind, when she dies and leaves me all her money and this beautiful house I'll divide, honest—cross my heart I will! I could cut up this place like a wedding cake and give a piece to each of the relatives and still have enough left for a state police barracks.
I and my little trunk arrived safely yesterday. How different from Gaby with her hundred eighty-seven. But when I showed Aunt Margaret my Burgundy velvet for afternoon and my blue tulle for evenings, with the white to change off with, she quite approved, and the green suit we worked so hard over she admitted was quite good looking. She said, however, that I needed new furs.
Enough about clothes! This morning, after breakfast, I was wandering over the houses—Aunt Margaret had some charities to attend to, she's on about a million boards—when I came upon a sort of office which opened out of the conservatory. I thought, perhaps, it was like the greenhouse in the park at home, where you go to get permission to bodd yourself in the hot atmosphere of the tropical gardens. So, urged by curiosity, I went in. And there I saw the grandest looking man you ever gazed upon.
Oh, Silly, if you could have seen him! But still I'm glad you didn't, for if you had been there he never would have looked at me, you perfect classical beauty with that stately poise of yours.
I'd been playing with a Boston pup and we'd been rolling over rugs and camel bags (Aunt Margaret has them for footstools in the Turkish room) and having a glorious romp, so you can imagine the condition of my hair. A net doesn't hold it any more than a mosquito netting could hold back Niagara, so of course it was seventy ways for Sunday.
When I saw the man I started to retreat, but he didn't give me time. He was beside me in an instant, holding out his hand and saying, "You are Miss Holdship, aren't you?" I gave him my hand and while he shook it I said: "Yes, I'm Peggy Holdship. Who are you?" Bright of me, wasn't it? But he was just the best-looking person I'd ever seen and I was too busy wondering how he had got the scar at the corner of his mouth (it doesn't spoil him a bit) to think what I was saying. "I'm the private secretary," he explained, "and Mrs. Harworth asked me to show you around. I intended to hunt you up in about five minutes. I've been up to my ears in work."
"So you add figures?" I exclaimed. "I should think you'd be out there in the center of that fountain holding a basin or something on your head."
"Meaning, I gather, that you think my skull would be of more use to my brains. Madam, you are not entirely wrong. I played tackle on the varsity team and my thick cranium has served its country well."
So that was where he got the scar! Of course, I didn't bother telling him that I thought he might be more ornamental than useful. Really it wasn't quite what I meant anyway, so I started to talk about Miggis, the pup, and soon we were gossiping as though we had known each other a thousand years. He showed me all over the house and grounds and really, Silly, I'm going to see that you get to come next time. It's all so grand.
I must stop now and dress for dinner. Aunt Margaret and I went riding this afternoon. There is to be company tonight. I'm sure it's to be somebody important, but it seems to be a secret. Anyway, Louise (I forget to tell you I have a maid) was told to fix me up. The Queen of Sheba going to meet Solomon, I suppose. I'm sure it's a man! I'll tell you in my next letter.
 Lovingly, Peggy.

Friday, November 4.
Dear Silly: It was a man, and who do you suppose it was? You'll never guess. Bernard Portman! I knew him the instant I saw him. He looks just like the magazine pictures. And so rich. Aunt Margaret says, he could almost buy out Rockefeller.

Sunday, November 13.
Dear Sister: Such a whirl as it has been since I wrote last. From 12 m. until 3 and 4 a. m. we hardly stop. I don't see how Aunt Margaret can stand it. She is a perfect Sparta and determined to see me well chaperoned. One thing is clear, however—she leaves me alone with B. P. every chance she gets. In fact, all mammas do. It's as plain as the nose on your face that he is the catch of the season. But I feel like calling him papa, and if he and auntie have

fixed up anything between them, they can get over it. After tea I'm going to tell you something about Jack.
After Tea—Here it is. Yesterday I was up at 8, and after breakfast I went to see how some of the new Japanese sunfish in the fountain were doing. Quite by accident I saw Jack. And, Silly, dear, before I knew what he was saying, he told me he loved me, and before I knew what I was saying, I told him I loved him, too. And he kissed me and I ran away and I haven't seen him since. If Aunt Margaret finds it out she'll send me home and cut me off with a shilling, but I shouldn't care. If I thought you'd get it all instead of me.
Oh, what shall I do. I love Jack and I can't bear old Portman. I just hate being thrown at any one's head! I've about made up my mind to tell Aunt Margaret the truth in the morning, give her back the pearl necklace and the bracelet and bandeau and the furs and everything, and then pack my trunk for home. But then there's Jack! He'll lose his position if I tell. Oh, I don't know what to do.

Dear Silly: Just a note. I'll write details tomorrow. I'm the happiest creature alive, for the most amazing things have happened. Aunt Margaret planned it all. She has known Jack for years and wanted me to fall in love with him. She said if I had known about it I'd have been contrary and fallen in love with some one else! Girls always do. So she persuaded Jack to be her secretary and asked me here on purpose. She said her little opposition just helped it along, and I guess it did. But you'll never believe me when I tell you the rest. Bernard Portman is Jack's uncle and he knew all about it, too, and Jack is his heir. Everybody is so happy! And I most of all.
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By C. N. PAYNE

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Society

THEATER PARTY Harry Burrows entertained the sales force of the Burrows store at a theater party at the Elks' minstrels last evening.

MISS ERICKSON ENTERTAINS Miss Edna Erickson entertained a party of friends at her home Saturday evening. Singing, dancing and games furnished amusement for the guests, and Miss Stella Hogan and George Leisgang entertained with a number of piano selections. Those present were Inez Amsrud, Rosa Klein, Minnie Heilwick, Hazel Amsrud, Minnie Betz, Elsie Betz, Amy Anderson, Bella Anderson, Stella Hogan, Agnes Erickson, William French, Bill Roraff, Joe Roraff, George Leisgang, Frank Ketchel, Walter Selbo, Arnold Amsrud, John Myer, George Melby, Alfred Selbrecht, Leonard Field, Frank Harder, Mrs. W. French, Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Erickson.

ANNOUNCEMENTS The Ladies Aid Society of the West Avenue Methodist church will be entertained tomorrow afternoon at the church parlors by Mesdames Frank Howard, Clay Evenson and Beaser.

The Catholic Women's League will meet Thursday afternoon at St. Mary's hall.

COLONIAL TEA The Catholic Women's League yesterday entertained at a Colonial Tea at St. Mary's hall, the affair being the first public event of the recently organized league. The dining room was decorated with flags and tea and cake were served to all comers throughout the afternoon and evening. A candy booth, which proved most popular with the young folks, was presided over by the Mesdames Mary Devine and Charlotte Kohn. The Mesdames Edward Evans, E. G. Perkins, John Doherty, Robert Ewe, Charles Miller and G. Keller alternated in pouring tea and were assisted by the following:

The Tribune's Daily Fashion Hint



FORMAL FROCK OF VOILE AND TAFFETA. A lovely dinner gown having a tunic of bordered voile mounted over a petticoat of taffeta. The border is used artistically to fashion the outer bodice, which is draped over a gulf of chiffon. The embroidered cap-sleeves are finished with draped frills of chiffon. Taffeta or satin folds the same shade, as the chiffon outline the round neck line. In medium size the dress requires 5 yards 36-inch deep voile, 3 yards 40-inch taffeta and 2 yards chiffon. Pictorial Review Waist No. 6544. Sizes, 34 to 48 inches bust. Price, 15 cents. Skirt No. 6378. Sizes, 22 to 34 inches waist. Price, 15 cents.

Y. W. C. A. MILESTONES OR CONTRASTING THE YEARS

Twenty Years Ago 1896-1906 Today Feb. 22-28, 1916

Twenty years ago today the country girl first began to come into her own, when the first county association in Fillmore county, Minn., was organized in 1898.

The first World's conference was held in London, June 14, to 18, 1898.

In 1900, the National committee of China was organized. Miss Martha Boring, the first secretary to China sailed in 1903. Her support was furnished by the Associations of Detroit and Grand Rapids, Mich., and a college association of Wisconsin.

In 1901 the first Young Women's Christian Association building in Asia was dedicated in Bombay.

Miss Alice Newell, a Radcliffe graduate, went to India as the first student secretary from the United States in 1903.

The first division of conferences into city and student conferences was made at Silver Bay in 1902.

The Woman's Missionary conference of Tokyo, Japan, sent an appeal to the World's committee for secretaries to organize Young Women's Christian associations in Japan, both for student and city girls.

In 1903 Miss Theresa Morrison began her work in the Young Women's Christian association in Japan.

In 1905 Count Okuma gave a garden party to present the work of the Young Women's Christian association to the people of Tokyo, saying, "I count it a privilege of a life time to have a part in inaugurating a work which will mean to the young women of Japan what the Young Men's Christian Association has meant to the young men."

In 1904 the first permanent institute for secretarial training was opened in Chicago.

Swimming was first started at the Buffalo pool in 1905.

Today there are fifteen county associations made up of fifty-six branches in eleven states, with a membership of 4,420. There are a national and twenty-two local secretaries for county work.

The fifth world's conference was held in Stockholm, Sweden, in 1914. Seven hundred and eighty-two delegates representing twenty-two countries were present.

China now has eighteen secretaries in five cities.

Today there are fifteen association buildings in Asia.

One general, one county, five city and eight student conferences will be held this year. Last year 4,589 were in attendance in summer camps and conferences.

Japan has now twenty associations with six American secretaries.

In October, 1915, a beautiful new and capacious Y. W. C. A. building was opened in Tokyo. Miss Ruth Emmerson, the Tokyo general secretary, writes that the joy in the girl's faces as they view their new quarters is beautiful to see. They feel that the building really belongs to them and that they are a part of it. She says it quite takes ones breath away to try to estimate the difference this building will make to the work in that city.

Today the National Training school has a class of fifty-one students for a full year's course, who come from every state in the union, as well as from Finland, Norway, Japan, Canada, Australia, Switzerland and Armenia.

There are twenty-three colleges represented.

Fifty-three associations now have swimming pools, and 15,429 girls had lessons last year.

LAST NIGHT FOR BIG ELKS' SHOW

Final Performance Will Be Followed by Party at Club for the Minstrel Men

With a second big house, to the full as enthusiastic as the one to which the show opened, the Elks galloped over the second lap of their minstrel endeavor at the Majestic last night. Minor wrinkles were smoothed out and the company worked with frictionless perfection. Tonight, the last night of the production, will be followed by a party at the club in honor of the actors.

Members of the lodge today were marveling at the polish exhibited by the minstrels. That the high finish of the production was acquired in such a short period of rehearsal is regarded as a distinct achievement for Miller and Draper, the team that engineered the production.

Particular credit for the success of the entertainment belongs to Clint Draper, who has been directing head of the enterprise, leader of the orchestra, advertising man and holder of a dozen other jobs. To his untiring efforts is ascribed the smoothness and professional finish of the show.

Audiences which have seen the show, have been enthusiastic over the stage setting which dresses the performance. It is voted elaborate beyond that of any similar production seen before in La Crosse.

Bliss comes with the honeymoon; after that comes the blister.

WASHINGTON COFFEE The Washington coffee given by the older Campfire Girls at Bethany Center Tuesday afternoon and evening was a social and financial success, the co-operation of the parents helping much toward making the affair so successful. The reading room was decorated in the patriotic colors and appropriate favors were given. After the young people had partaken of refreshments they spent an hour playing games and dancing the Virginia reel in which even Martha Washington herself took part.

FARM EDITOR DEAD DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 23.—Henry Wallace, 89, who was a member of Roosevelt's rural life commission, editor of Wallace's Farmer, and prominent nationally in agricultural circles, is dead here today of apoplexy. He was born in West Newton Pa.

TO SET UP TRAINING CAMP CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—A training camp where citizens will be drilled in naval tactics will be established at the Great Lakes naval station this spring, according to an announcement here today by Commander W. A. Moffett.

As a man grows thinner with age his wife usually grows fatter.



May Robson at La Crosse Theater, Two Night, Monday and Tuesday, February 28th and 29th.

TODAY ONLY, FEB. 23 Edwin Stevens IN "The Man Inside"

Five reel drama of diplomatic circles in Washington. By Natalie Sumner Lincoln.

First show starts at 7, second at 8:20. Box office closes at 9 o'clock.

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NORTH SIDE

PATRIOTISM NOTE OF LEAGUE FEAST

Band Concert and Mayor's Address Inspire Loyalty; 150 Attend the Banquet

MAYOR PLEADS FOR HARMONY

Should Be No North and South Side Division of City Declares Mr. Bentley

Patriotism was the keynote of the North Side Progressive League's annual banquet at the Tabernacle Baptist church last night. Patriotic airs by the north side military band, concluding with "The Star Spangled Banner" at which the 150 banqueters rose to their feet, preceded a stirring patriotic address by Mayor A. A. Bentley.

Patriotism and loyalty to one's city, state and nation was urged by the mayor. Incidentally, he urged harmony between the north and south sides of the city in civic affairs.

"The north side white way extended along the causeway to meet that on the south side, the street lined with factories on both sides and the mayor's office in the center"—that was the picture painted by the mayor as an ideal, unified La Crosse.

"There should be no north or south sides," said Mr. Bentley. "No portion of any city will receive its share of public improvements if there is continual fighting, harmony should reign at all times. There will be no discrimination against the northern part of the city in any public improvements or in anything that is for the good of the public. If the north side needs improvements they will receive those that are needed and a continual fighting will go no further than to stop these improvements."

J. G. Dubraks, president of the North Side Progressive league, introduced the mayor.

WHO'S TO PAY DEFENSE BILL?

That Is Problem Franklin Club Will Debate at Regular Meeting Tomorrow

If we are going to "prepare," who should pay?

This is the question the Franklin club will thrash out at its regular meeting in Fjelstad hall tomorrow night. The merits of a rapidly progressive income tax to pay for national defense will be debated, the question being stated thus:

Resolved, That the increases in the cost of preparedness should be paid by increases in the inheritance and income taxes.

Sam Johnson, Paul W. Mahoney and Arthur Holmes are scheduled to uphold the affirmative. H. O. Taylor, Otto Schlabach and Prof. H. G. Hayden are to speak for the negative.

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When a wife wants pin money her husband is compelled to come to the scratch.

STOMACH UPSET?

Get at the Real Cause—Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

That's what thousands of stomach sufferers are doing now. Instead of taking tonics, or trying to patch up a poor digestion, they are attacking the real cause of the ailment—clogged liver and disordered bowels.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets arouse the liver in a soothing, healing way. When the liver and bowels are performing their natural functions, away goes indigestion and stomach troubles.

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Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil. You will know them by their olive color. They do the work without griping, cramps or pain.

Take one or two at bedtime for quick relief, so you can eat what you like. At 10c and 25c per box. All druggists. The Olive Tablet Company, Columbus, O.

North Side Briefs

O'Neill Shoe Store. Come. Only \$1.19.

Miss Laura Schulberg who is confined to her home 1118 Berlin street with illness is recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Friske have returned to their home in Kendall after a visit with friends on the north side.

Miss Silvia Stevens has returned to her home in Cassville after a visit at the home of Miss Alice Riley 1503 Wood street.

Miss Marie Stewart who spent the past few days at the home of Mrs. George Nutting 1839 Kane street has returned to her home in Midway.

Miss Mae Johnson who has been the guest of relatives and friends in Prairie du Chien has returned to her home 1416 George street.

Miss Helen Roth, entertained the Keopagoin club Tuesday evening at her home 1123 Charles street.

Roy Skemp who spent the past few days at his home 1645 Kane street has returned to St. Paul.

Miss Mae Mullen has returned to her home 1713 Loomis street, after a visit with relatives and friends in Minneapolis.

Mrs. John Moore, La Crescent, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kneisel 822 Avon street.

The members of the German Emmanuel Lutheran church held a

Mr. Stevens' initial appearance to moving picture fans is a drama in five acts, dealing with official Washington. Mr. Stevens' greatest hit and the part by which he is best known is the Devil in the play by that name which was put on at the Garden theatre by Henry Savage. Well, if you saw the Devil, and nearly everybody did see it, you remember Edwin Stevens.

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Order a Case Today.

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North Side Bottling Works

basket social Tuesday evening in the church hall.

Miss Eva Laylin, Minneapolis, Minn., has returned after visiting north side friends.

Sever Haakerson, Westby, was in the city on business yesterday.

COACH LEAPS RAIL AND HALTS TRAIN

The Milwaukee road's Fast Mail, No. 55, was held up a few minutes this morning when a mail coach near the head-end jumped the track near the north side coal chute. The train was running slowly, just having left the depot, and no damage was done. What caused the coach to derail is not known.

A woman's taste in selecting neckties for her husband is as good as a man's taste in selecting millinery for his wife.

Solid Carload of Beer Reaches City

Modern methods were used in the transportation of an ancient beverage when 15,000 bottles of "Old Style Lager" were shipped from La Crosse, Wis., to Austin. The beer—a solid carload of it—arrived yesterday and was received by John Dodson & Co., agents for the brewers, G. Heileman Brewing Co., of La Crosse. The shipment consisted of 125 casks, in each of which were 120 bottles of beer.

In the days of old, when warriors wore iron evening suits, a beverage much like this "Old Style Lager" was brewed in Germany. Not only the laity, but also the clergy of that time drank it. The purity of the beer made it a favorite beverage for all classes, and the "Old Style Lager" is said to be practically the same beer as that brewed of old by the monks for the German warriors. Anyway, it has made a "hit" in Austin, and John Dodson has had such success in selling it that the carload will all have been disposed of in a few days. On account of its qualities, it has proven very popular for family use and many orders have been taken for its delivery into Austin homes.

Everyone who drinks beer knows that if it is frozen, it is likely to lose its "life." For this reason a stove was installed in the car in which the beer was shipped to Austin, and a thermometer was also used. The car was kept at an even temperature throughout the long trip, charcoal being used for fuel.

A decorated float advertising the beer was driven through the principal streets yesterday and today. On the float were twenty-one casks of beer, and banners and streamers. One of C. M. Cabanis' big floats was used and the float attracted much attention. Mr. Dodson took many orders and probably will receive "returns" on all of them, for "Old Style Lager" has a taste which pleases malt liquor users.—From The Austin, Texas, Statesman and Tribune.—Adv.

TONIGHT—Last Time!

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PERSONALS

B. A. Yeomen dance every Tuesday.
S. D. Williams, Winona was in the city on business Monday.
K. D. Olson, was a visitor from Harmony yesterday.
O. Blehrud, came over from Spring Grove yesterday to visit friends.
O. Smith, Ableman, called on friends and relatives while in the city Monday.
J. A. Hackett, North Freedom, spent yesterday in the city on business.

Normal Lecture course final number Thursday, Feb. 24. Colonel S. O. Shield's illustrated lecture on wild animals and birds. Single admission 50c. Children 25c.

A. Zaballo came up from Genoa, Monday to transact business.

A. Larson, Spring Grove spent Monday in the city.

P. B. Qualy, Caledonia, registered at a local hotel Monday.

G. Havlan, Rushford was in the city Sunday and Monday.

A. L. Jones, Whalan, spent Monday at a local hotel.

For hurry-up calls use Radke Taxi. Phones 422.

J. Shanaghy came up from Ferryville yesterday to visit with friends.

J. H. Gilbert, Spring Valley, was the guest of friends and relatives while in the city Sunday and Monday.

E. Slais, Dakota, transacted business in the city Monday.

Miss Carrie Atwood has returned to her home in this city after a few days' visit with friends in West Prairie.

Y. of A. card party Thursday night. Members free; others 10 cents.

J. D. Hollowell, Racine, spent yesterday at a local hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Schroeder, Grand Meadow, Wis., were visitors at a local hotel yesterday.

Mrs. R. S. MacKechner, Hillsboro, Minn., shopped and visited friends in La Crosse yesterday.

Constable Louis Omerberg is transacting business in Chaseburg today.

Attorney L. T. Reid, of the law firm of Wolfe, Wolfe, and Reid, returned yesterday from a business trip to Chicago.

Attorney F. E. Withrow is attending the term of circuit court at Alma, Wis., today.

Arthur T. Holmes, member of the law firm of Morris and Hartwell, who was married at Davenport, returned to La Crosse today.

Hack and baggage calls made. Gateway City Trfr. Co. Phone 197.

Theodore Ritter, deputy revenue stamp collector here, is confined at his home with illness.

A. M. Goldish will leave La Crosse today for a business visit in Minneapolis and St. Paul.

Mrs. W. H. Garner, who has been staying at the home of C. C. Looney, 713 Vine street, and whose husband died recently at a local hospital, returned to her home in Chicago today.

Daughters of Rebecca will give card party tomorrow afternoon at Odd Fellows' hall.

Charles Fuhrmann, Reedsburg, Wis., is in the city.

J. M. Critton, Madison, transacted business here yesterday.

J. C. Levett and J. M. Clifford, Caledonia, Minn., were business visitors in La Crosse yesterday.

J. J. Crowley, Tomah, spent yesterday at a local hotel while transacting business and visiting friends in the city.

J. P. West, Madison, spent yesterday at a local hotel.

Frank Burbank, Mankato, Minn., was a caller here yesterday.

B. E. Ristan was in the city on business from North Freedom, Wis., yesterday.

William McMahon, Lancaster, Wis., spent yesterday visiting friends and transacting business in the city.

J. P. Garvey was a business visitor here yesterday from Prairie du Chien.

Charles H. Schweizer left today for Omaha, on legal business.

PURE, RICH BLOOD MADE BY HOOD'S

Pure blood enables the stomach, liver and other digestive organs to do their work properly. Without it they are sluggish, there is loss of appetite, sometimes faintness, a deranged state of the intestines, and, in general, all the symptoms of dyspepsia.
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THE MOVIES

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TODAY AND THURSDAY
"X 3," with Eddie Polo, three parts.
A Billie Rhodes Nestor comedy and
"THE BROKEN COIN"
Open 6:30 Wednesday and Sunday.
FRIDAY: Hobart Henley.

THE DOME

Never Less Than Five Reels

TONIGHT

'SAINTS AND SINNERS'
A three part drama, featuring Maurice Costello and Leah Baird.
Richard Tucker in
'BLACK EAGLE'
Geo. Stanley, Wm. Duncan and Ann Drew in
'LOVE AND LAW'
A very funny comedy.

WONDERFUL MUSIC FOR GREAT MOVIE

Symphony Orchestra of 20
Pieces Will Interpret the
Powerful Drama of
Preparedness

A symphony orchestra of twenty pieces is today rehearsing the wonderful interpretive music which will be not the least among the pleasing touches with which "The Battle Cry of Peace" will be presented at the Majestic theater here next week. The music will be one of the features of the production. It is so arranged and keyed to the picture that it enhances and intensifies the emotional effect of one of the greatest motion picture plays ever produced. Much of the music was specially written. Much of it is arranged from famous composers. All of it pounds home the lesson which the picture tells.

The music has plenty of opportunity. The picture is a tremendous spectacle. It shows in two hours the very essence of all that the advocates of preparedness fear for the nation. War, with its blighting effect on our shores, is painted with all the grim force of reality. Great armies march and meet, battleships thunder and sink, aeroplanes and dirigibles, submarines and siege guns all play a part in the impressive drama. And through it all is a beautiful tragic story that touches the heart-strings and lift the picture from the plane of mere propaganda to that of a photoplay classic. Seat sale for the great picture opens tomorrow at the Majestic box office. Out of town orders have already begun to come in, and many inquiries at the theater indicate that residents of the city are preparing to place "The Battle Cry of Peace" among their experiences.

Market Square

The following farmers registered at the city scales yesterday: H. Koethe, Brownsville road; C. Langen, South Ridge; Miller Bros., Hokah road; J. Varnar, South Ridge; F. Bumgardner, French Island; D. Mader, State road.

Throw Off Colds Prevent Grip.
When you feel a cold coming on, take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. It removes cause of Colds and Grip. Only One "BROMO QUININE." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 25c.

RUSSIA IS ASKED WHAT SHE THINKS OF MR. FRANCIS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The Russian government, in keeping with diplomatic usage, has been asked regarding the acceptance of David R. Francis as United States ambassador. Until an affirmative reply is received from Russia, no announcement of his appointment will be made.

Although the dignified man may not know much, he has to be very careful of what little he does know.

Wedding Rings

The finest it is possible to make. Seamless, jointless, solderless, one piece rings. 14 karat, 18 karat, 22 karat. All sizes, weights and shapes.

IRVINE'S, 429 Main St.
Geo. Irvine in charge.

'Twas A HARD JOB TAMING WILD MEN IN THE ISLANDS

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and order by the American civil and military officers who had charge of them. The task called for utter fearlessness, infinite patience and a man who could set for each crime an adequate punishment and see that it was carried out. These American officers risked their lives a dozen times a day. They traveled unarmed through remote and hostile regions where every man boasted a lance and a strong desire to increase his head-score. They decorated their quarters with the spears thrown at them. They arbitrated feuds between villages when only the presence of the other tribe prevented each warring party from gathering in the arbiter.

One Man Was Law
The American in charge of some hidden inland district represented the whole machinery of administration in his one quinine-filled person. He was the legislative, the judicial, and the executive branches of government combined. He was the health department and the bureau of public works. Between tribes he was a Hague tribunal, and between individuals a court of last appeal. At the head of a few red-capped native constables he ranged through the jungle in the name of the new law.

The hill people regarded war as a part of life, yet in some ways they proved a likeable race to deal with. They recognized the justice of punishment, and bore no malice after it was over. On their side, they expected that punishment should wipe the slate clean, that the offender who had paid his penalty should get back his old status in every way. They were not a race to appreciate mildness, but they admired courage in an enemy with ready generosity. By courage the Americans ruled them, occasionally falling back on the national resource of bluff.

A Good Bluff
A good example of what the pioneers of our administration had to deal with, and the way they dealt with it, is furnished by an incident that happened on one of the smaller islands. A young governor set out with two native constables to compel a band of outlaws to disarm. They found the whole tribe in arms, and showing an ugly mood. It was apparent that they were working themselves up to the point of attack, and as the tribe numbered over a hundred, the governor and his two followers were in a ticklish situation. So the American forced the issue. Seizing on a pretext for a quarrel with the chief, he ordered his constables to hold the man while he gave him a cut with a stick. The natives were agitated at such temerity; it convinced them that the governor had a hidden force in reserve. They meekly gave up their weapons.

Once the new government was established, friendly relations between the officers of administration and their districts grew rapidly. The wild tribes are quick to appreciate courage and a square deal. They obeyed the law, and regarded the local lawmaker as a sort of demi-god; for the ruling of such people is largely a personal matter; they cannot grasp principles of government. Give them a man who deals fairly with them, punishes them when necessary, without malice, but without fear, respects their customs as far as possible, and works for the general good, and they will admire that man and the government he stands for.

Of Recent Date
All these phases of the American regime must be spoken of in the past tense, but not because they are ancient history. They happened in the twentieth century; some of them

Home Celebration of Wonder Interest

The arrival of a baby in the household completely changes the entire aspect of the future. But in the meantime, during the anxious period of expectancy, there is a splendid remedy known as "Mother's Friend" that does wonders. It is for external use, relieves the pains of muscle expansion, soothes and quiets the nerves, extends life in the mother, and removes to a great extent the tendency to worry and apprehension. It is a natural treatment, safe for the mother, has no drug effect whatsoever and for this reason must exert a most beneficial influence upon those functions directly connected with motherhood. In a very interesting book the subject is freely discussed and a copy will be mailed free to all expectant mothers by Bradfield Regulator Co., 406 Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. Get a bottle of "Mother's Friend" today of any druggist. Use as directed and you will then know why mothers for nearly half a century have used and recommended this splendid aid to motherhood. Their letters are messages of cheer, that breathe comfort in every word.

DEAD ENGINEER IS BLAMED FOR DEADLY WRECK

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 23.—The death toll of the triple train smash on the New Haven at Milford was increased to ten today when Frank Schappe, of New Haven, died of his injuries. Schappe was terribly scalded by the bursting of the boiler. C. H. Morrison and J. W. Chappelle of the New Haven's signal department today reported they inspected the signals immediately after the wreck and found a warning still set to detain the local train.
W. R. Curtis, the dead engineer of the local train, today seemed likely to be blamed for the crash, the most spectacular in New Haven's list of disasters. The local, it was said, passed two block signals which were "set" when the train ahead stopped because of defective air hose.

Clara Kimball Young —IN— "Camille"

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The Bijou—House of Paramount

YOUR BRONCHIAL TUBES

When a cold settles in the bronchial tubes, with that weakening, tickling cough, immediate treatment is very important. The breath seems shorter because of mucous obstructions; usually fever is present, your head jars with every cough and your chest may ache. This is no time for experimenting or delay—you must get Scott's Emulsion at once to drive out the cold which started the trouble, and it will check the cough by aiding the healing process of the enfeebled membranes.
If you have any symptoms of bronchitis, or even a stubborn cold, always remember that Scott's Emulsion has been relieving this trouble for forty years. It is free from alcohol or drugs. Refuse substitutes.

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Three Races

The non-Christians are divided into three very distinct classes. First is the Negro, the "little black man" of the Spaniards, who has the proudest lineage of all, for he is all that remains of the aboriginal race of the islands. The Negro is one of the lowest types of humanity, ranked by ethnologists with the Australian Bushman. He is a little black woolly-headed individual, who has no capacity for receiving civilization. There are only about twenty-five thousand of him in the islands, so he does not present a problem, except as he bears on the much-discussed question of the existence of slavery in the archipelago.

The bulk of the non-Christian peoples are of Malay descent. Some of them have a slight admixture of Negro blood. The hill tribes, or pagans, are derived from Malays who invaded the islands in ancient times. Many distinct tribes are recognized among them, half a dozen on the main island of Luzon alone. The pagans of Luzon inhabit the mountain province for the most part, in the northern end of the island, where they formerly held supreme sway. Here dwell the Ifugaos, the Kalingas, the Igorots, the Apayao, and others of the head-hunting peoples. It is hardly fair to speak of such peoples as the Ifugaos, with their wonderfully constructed terraces clinging to the sides of almost perpendicular mountains, as savages; but many of their old customs were savage to the last degree.

Raiders Are Over

Today it is possible for men of one of these tribes to go about safely in the territory of another tribe for the first time in centuries. Their own raids on their civilized neighbors have ceased altogether. Educational work is going forward among them, they furnish some of the best recruits for the constabulary, and their progress in all lines is highly satisfactory. Baguio, the great summer resort of the islands, is among the pines of the mountain province.

On other islands, the work among the pagan peoples has naturally not progressed as fast as in Luzon, but perfect order prevails, and education is beginning. The interior of the great island of Mindoro is peopled by a pagan tribe known as the Mangyans, whose very number is still a matter of guess-work. It is estimated around 15,000. These people live in isolated huts, moving from place to place whenever a member of the family dies. Their strain of Negro blood makes them backward, but schools and permanent villages have been established.

Such tribes as these may be taken

as typical of the twenty-five or thirty pagan peoples found in the Philippines.

The Moros

The third race of non-Christians are the Moros of Mindanao and Sulu. The Moros represent a comparatively recent Malay invasion, as well as the highest stage of civilization the Malay race has ever reached. They are devout Mohammedans, men of immense personal courage, fierce fighters, pirates who in the past terrorized the whole archipelago. Their number is estimated all the way from 275,000 to 350,000.

Such are the peoples classed under the general head of the non-Christian tribes. In spite of the fact that today there is no disorder in any part of the islands, and progress toward civilization is most encouraging, it is obvious that for many years the equilibrium will be a delicate one and the situation will continually be fraught with possibilities.

Never do anything disagreeable today that you can just as well put off until tomorrow. By that time you may not have occasion to do it.

Lime and Tuberculosis

Dr. Roberts Bartholow, former professor in Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, says in his *Medical Record* (1895), on pages 215 and 216: "Clinical experience has shown that it (referring to a calcium salt) possesses the ill-defined property known as alterative, removes certain toxic or morbid materials and secures their secretion by the organs of elimination."
The testimony which has lately been published in respect to its curative powers in consumption is certainly very striking.

He does not refer to testimony regarding Eckman's Alternative, since the medical profession never publicly recommends proprietary remedies. However, many cases of consumption seem to have yielded to this remedy.

This success may be due largely to the fact that in Eckman's Alternative a calcium (lime) salt is so combined with other valuable ingredients as to be easily assimilated by the average person. It contains neither opiates, narcotics nor habit-forming drugs, so is safe. Sold by Geo. E. Mariner, Chas. M. Beyschlag and leading druggists. Eckman Laboratory.

CITY NEWS TICKER

Has Porter Arrested
A warrant for the arrest of Howard Sainbeck, former porter at the Josiah Dennison barber shop, 1112 South Ninth street, was secured today by Mr. Dennison. Dennison charges that the porter stole a pair of shoes, two hair clippers, a bunch of keys and several shirts and collars from his place of business. Sainbeck may be arraigned before Judge John Brindley today.

A New Food For Thin Folks

All thin folks would like to increase their weight and their vitality and have plump and well-rounded bodies. It can be done most easily with the assistance of proper food. The proper food is HEMO.
HEMO is a palatable Malted Food in powder form. More than Malted Milk because it contains in addition to all the food values of Malted Milk the full nutritive force of prime beef together with the natural iron to aid in making red blood.
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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Deeds for city and county property aggregating the sum of approximately \$11,000 were filed with Register of Deeds A. E. Thompson today.

The biggest deal recorded was by Stephen E. Jahnel, who purchased farm land in the town of Greenfield from Joseph Jahnel. The consideration was \$6,400.

North La Crosse property was transferred by C. A. Van Vleet to Clarence Outcalt for the consideration of \$900.

Property situated on the north side has been sold by Minna O. Caven to Jacob Miska. The consideration was \$1,500.

Benjamin M. Hawley has sold property on the north side to Charles V. Lind for the consideration of \$1,300, according to a deed filed at the court house.

Residence property in the village of West Salem has been sold to Robert P. Vick. M. J. Lee is the grantor. The consideration is \$2,650.

Several mortgages and minor deeds were also filed.

Folly and failure roost on the same perch.

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**ZEPPELINS WOULD FLY
TO AMERICA FOR FOOD
SHOULD WARDRAGOUT**

BY CARL W. ACKERMANN
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)
BERLIN, Feb. 23.—A great fleet of Zeppelins flying to America and bringing food back to Germany is a possibility if this war lasts several years longer, an authority on aeronautics declared today.
"Seems like a dream," he said. "But a war that has seen submarines go from Wilhelmshaven to Constantinople and Zeppelins and aeroplanes play unexpected roles may see some even more startling developments in, say three or five years."
The very fact that this possibility is being discussed is evidence of the realization here that this war between England and Germany is to be decided if not a battle to exhaustion. In this final fight, Germany expects to win, if necessary, by bringing into play all the inventive powers that already have stood her in such good stead.

Sweden, Spain and Rumania, it is conceded here, are the three neutrals most likely to play prominent roles if the war is long drawn out. Rumors that Sweden plans to attack Russia if the war becomes one of exhaustion have been in circulation here for months. Reports that Spain has been buying munitions in America have also aroused public interest when viewed in connection with Spain's decades-old ambition to conquer Gibraltar.

Rumania is the unsolved puzzle of the Balkans. At present she is controlled almost entirely according to reports brought here, by England's heavy purchases of Rumanian grain.

**BIG RAILROADERS
COME TO CITY FOR
FREIGHT HEARING**

(Continued from Page One.)
Shipped by the La Crosse Stone company are greater than charges for switching a car of cattle, even though the latter is bound for a much more distant point, was one of the first statements made by Mr. Bolton. He recited a number of instances of what he alleged to be discriminatory charges against the local concern.

Many Attend
About 100 railroad attorneys, local business men and others interested were present at the opening of the hearing. The crowd increased as the hearing got under way.

E. A. Funk, secretary and manager of the stone company was the next to testify.

Mr. Funk maintained upon questioning by Mr. Bolton that railroads were now doing a large quantity of business, whereas when his business was started, the volume of business was small. He said he had applied to the "Q" for lower switching rates. He said the road officials told him they could give a flat rate of \$2 per car. The witness read a letter from road officials containing a refusal to lower the rates below this.

Mr. Funk declared that it now costs him more than \$24 to ship a car of stone weighing 100,000 pounds to Sparta, whereas one year ago he shipped stone to Sparta for \$16 a car. He also reiterated that switching charges here were now much higher than when his business was smaller.

About three cars of stone are stone are switched every day. Mr. Funk testified in answer to questions of attorneys of the Northwestern railroad who with the Burlington and C. & M. St. P. road attorneys are fighting the over-charge claims of the stone company.

"We find competition in almost every town and village," said Mr. Funk, "and it is difficult to make business pay with the exorbitant rates we now have to contend with."
"We ship stone as far east as Sparta," he said, "and pass through many point where there are quarries. The switching rates cripple us materially."

E. Flynn, superintendent of the Burlington railroad here, was next called to testify. He produced a map showing the switching distance from the stone company to main lines of his road.

DECLARES COAST HELPLESS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Helplessness of the Pacific coast against attack because of inability to get a fleet through the Panama canal, now closed by slides, was declared before the house naval affairs committee today by Stephens of California.

He said the navy department had discriminated against the Pacific coast and has left it to be protected by one obsolete battleship, a dozen cruisers of the third class and a new submarine.

**ADMINISTRATION NOT
IN SYMPATHY WITH
MASSES SAYS OWEN**

Already Philipp Regime has Stamped Itself with Friendliness to Big Business He Says

ATTACKS NEW APPOINTMENTS

Personal and Political Motives Influenced Most of Selections Republican Banqueters Are Told

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 23.—"Already this administration has stamped itself as the friend of big business. Its protestations of sympathy with the masses are a sham and a fraud."

This was the statement of Attorney General Walter C. Owen in characterizing the present republican administration in Wisconsin in a speech at the republican state dinner here last night. He said first the administration said "look at your tax receipts," but now that the tax receipts do not prove their case they say they were embarrassed in their efforts. Owen said that if the underlying purpose of the consolidation bills of the administration in the last legislature were to promote economy, "they are ludicrous."

CHOICES PERSONAL

The declaration was made that the appointments of the administration were largely personal and that the best men in the state service were removed from office. He reviewed the discontinuance of Otto Onstad, as superintendent of public property; J. Q. Emory, as state dairy and food commissioner; Charles H. Cronhart as chairman of the industrial commission, "in whose favor 25,000 workmen petitioned the governor to retain him"; and of Herman L. Ekern as state insurance commissioner.

"He has not only removed from office true public servants," said Mr. Owen, referring to Governor Philipp, "but he has used the power of his office most shamefully to promote his own political views."

Owen said that the appointment of M. B. Rosenberry, without giving the people an opportunity to petition the governor as to whom they would like to have appointed, was "an utter disregard of public preference. He said that the appointment of the new justice was made public with the announcement of the resignation to head off petitions from the people. He then pointed out that A. L. Kreitzer, Mr. Rosenberry's law partner, "retired from the senatorial race as soon as the appointment was made."

CONTRACTS PRESENT AND PAST

Attorney General Owen's speech was a contrast of the progressive government with stalwart government. He said that the citizens of Wisconsin were among the first to rebel against the old order of things. He said that the conservative faction of the party had never aided in the passage of the railroad law and other pieces of progressive legislation. Referring to the men who made up the recent gymnasium convention at Madison, of which Governor Philipp was the dominating figure, Owen said:

"That convention was composed of men who, back in the early years of this century, opposed railroad rate regulation, opposed election reforms, opposed just and equal taxation measures, opposed healthy labor regulations, opposed laws compelling fair dealing on the part of insurance companies with their policyholders, and who, in short, have opposed every law that has been proposed in the public interest during the last fifteen years. Those were the men who composed the gymnasium convention. To discover their attitude towards government it is only necessary to recall their action on every one of these laws. Their attitude is now the same as it was then."

LIGHTS BEHIND

After these laws had been enacted and proven their worth, "these men may acquiesce, but they never imitate. Like the firefly, they carry their tail lights behind, and they never see anything until it goes by." Owen said the question was whether government shall be made to serve the people or whether it shall be permitted to serve special interests.

"Remember, that men who will oppose just and equitable systems of taxation in 1903, will favor laws permitting banks to tax themselves and a cutting down of corporation license fees in 1915," continued Mr. Owen. "That men who opposed a democratic form of, and purity in, election laws in 1903 will favor an emasculating of our present corrupt practice act in 1915; that men who in 1905 and 1906 opposed shorter hours of labor for women and children, will heartily favor a law permitting boys of tender age to work in stone quarries in 1915."

Owen said that men who opposed railroad rate regulation in 1903 will oppose regulation of fire insurance rates in 1915. He then launched into an analysis of the fire insurance rates in the state and how an effort to regulate these rates was defeated by the last legislature.

INSURANCE CHARGE BIG

"It is safe to say that the fire insurance charge imposed upon this state is over \$9,000,000 per annum," said Mr. Owen, "or nearly 25 per cent of all forms of taxes paid in this state for the support of state, county, municipal and school government."

He cited comparisons for liability insurance in other states and showed that the rates in Massachusetts are much lower than the rates

**CRONES MISSIVE
NOW THREATENS
PORTLAND BISHOP**

Signed Postcard Says Prelate Will Be Victim of the Writer

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—A postcard bearing an apparently authentic signature of Jean Crones, avowed principal in the anarchist soup plot, received by police Chief Healy today threatened death to "some bishop" at Portland, Ore., from where the card was dated. The postmark was Portland, Feb. 18.

Healy, though not convinced the card was sent by Crones, said the signature was apparently genuine. The postcard read:

Portland, Ore., 2-19-16.
I see you are still after me. Why don't you come out after me. Mabey I can give you some soup. Look out for some time to happen hear soon. I wish I had got the old bishop and judge in the soup, but mawbey I get him yet.
I will get som bissop heer I guess. You look my tru print. I always go hom on me, who-ever arrests me will blow up with me.
JEAN CRONES.

The fact that Crones dated his card Feb. 19, though the Portland, Ore. postmark was Feb. 18, was deemed by police evidence that Crones was dating his taunting messages a day ahead of their date of mailing, in an effort to deceive the police.

"It may be the work of a joker," Chief Healey said, but you never can tell."

After comparison of handwriting with letters sent by Crones to New York newspapers, Chief of Detectives Hunt said he thought the postcard was a fake.

**PEACE TERMS OF
ASQUITH HARD
ON THE TEUTONS**

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Not only must Belgium be completely restored, but Serbia must recover more territory that she has lost and the military dominance of Prussia must be completely destroyed before England consents to peace, Premier Asquith declared in the house of commons this afternoon.

Asquith's statement was made in reply to queries from Philip Snowden, labor member of parliament, and others, for a statement of the terms on which England is willing to make peace. His response, brief made, was greeted with tremendous cheering.

Great men have many friends—and many more enemies.

In Wisconsin, the rate on bakers in Massachusetts is 60 cents compared with \$2.95 in Wisconsin and so on through a long list, which he read. He then cited similar comparisons with Ohio, declaring that "as compared with Massachusetts and New York these companies are overcharging in Wisconsin more than \$500,000 per year, and as compared with Ohio, where they have state insurance, the overcharge is \$750,000 per year." Continuing he declared that Wisconsin was overcharged by the old line fire insurance companies. He then turned to the defeat of the bill in the last legislature, which would have made the regulation of insurances possible.

"The man who led the fight against that fire insurance bill on the floor of the assembly received his rewards at the hands of this administration and is now an important attaché of the insurance department of the state of Wisconsin," continued Mr. Owen. "Talk about these men reducing the tax burdens of the people! Talk about their great desire to relieve those whom they claim are already overburdened! Why, by the passage of this bill they could have brought to the people of this state a greater relief than was claimed, if every bill proposed on the part of the administration for the reduction of taxes at the expense of public service, had become a law. Here was a chance for real relief. The trouble was that it was not the kind of relief that this administration believes in."

INSURANCE IN POLITICS?

Attorney General Owen said that the insurance men of this state had recently organized in Milwaukee for the purpose of going into politics. He said the insurance "combine is for Philipp and the Milwaukee meeting is the first effort to carry out their purpose of maintaining their strangle-hold on the people."

"The insurance companies make the price for insurance and they overcharge in this state more than \$2,000,000 a year," continued Mr. Owen. "In the last campaign these insurance companies and many insurance agents worked in the dark. They worked under a non de plume. They took unto themselves the name of the taxpayers' league. They preyed upon the prejudices of the people. Their real purpose in seeking control of government was not known."

"In this campaign they must come out and fight in the open. If they oppose a proposition to regulate the rights of fire insurance companies in this state, the motive of such opposition will be thoroughly understood. It is a motive of greedy, selfish self-interest. They will not be permitted to fight from behind breastworks. They will not be allowed to shift or dodge the issue. In this campaign every insurance man will be for himself and his selfish interests and it will be thoroughly understood that his interest in politics is not prompted by patriotic motives."

**SLAVS VICTORIOUS
ALONG WHOLE LINE
PRESS TREBIZOND**

Russ Vanguards Are Within Thirty-five Miles of Turk Port on the Black Sea

MANY SUCCESSSES REPORTED

German Trench Is Stormed and Occupants Killed; Teuton Attacks Repulsed

PETROGRAD, Feb. 23.—Russian vanguards are within a few miles of Rizeh, 35 miles east of Trebizond and the capture of Trebizond itself is now but a few days distant, according to Tiflis dispatches today.

Announcement of fresh successes in the Caucasus, which brought enthusiastic demonstrations at the opening of the duma, was followed by the official statement today that the Slavs have won skirmishes with the Austro-Germans on nearly every sector of the front from the Baltic to Rumania.

Armenian refugees from Trebizond reported that the Turks have been emptying the city of all its valuable stores since the fall of Ezerum, evidently planning no serious resistance.

"Along the Riga and Dvina fronts, German aviators dropped bombs," said the official statement. "Violent artillery actions occurred along the Dvina and also on the Jacobstadt sector and around Orteg, near Ilukst."

"Northwest of Lake Sventen, one of our regiments made a successful reconnaissance, annihilating the occupants of a German trench, 150 men and two officers. Our forces repulsed a counter attack by enemy reserves and returned to their own lines, taking many prisoners. In the Smorgen district we penetrated enemy entanglements, bayoneting some of the trench occupants and forcing others to flee."

"On the upper Strypa the Austrians tried to approach our trenches, but were repulsed with heavy losses. We took a number of prisoners."

"Near Buczacz in Galicia an enemy aeroplane dropped flaming rags at the village of Kimmellek without effect. We exploded a group of mines successfully near Boyana, northeast of Czernowitz, destroying Austrian positions occupying the mine craters."

**JEWISH RELIEF IS
SWELLED BY \$477**

This Is Amount Collected in La Crosse and Environs for Sufferers in War Zone

City of La Crosse \$179.02
Tomah 34.25
Galesville 30.00
Contributor by the Jews of La Crosse 234.97
Total \$477.34

The above figures represent the amount collected in La Crosse by the Jewish Relief committee following President Wilson's proclamation of a special day for the consideration and relief of the terrible sufferings of the Jews in the war-stricken districts of Europe. Announcement of the amount was made today by A. Hirschheimer and A. M. Goldish, of the committee.

**FOR DISARMAMENT
AFTER CRUSHING
OF "PRUSSIANISM"**

LONDON, Feb. 23.—An intentional agreement for at least partial disarmament may be possible if Prussian "militarism" is destroyed by this war, the Russian foreign minister, M. Sazonoff, declared in an interview with the Daily Chronicle's Petrograd correspondent.

"If Prussian militarism, that evil thing which has darkened all our lives for so many years, is finally destroyed, as I most firmly believe it will be," said M. Sazonoff, "then I think some measure of disarmament may be possible. It should be quite possible, for with England and Russia (friends, the rest of the world is safe."

**PRESIDENT GOES
OVER ARMY BILL
WITH CHAMBERLAIN**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—President Wilson today discussed briefly the senate committee army bill with Senator Chamberlain, chairman of the committee. Chamberlain informed the president the senate bill would not conform in some respects to the bill reported out in the house and that the final measure probably will have to be drafted at a conference of the house and senate committee.

**HAVE HARD TASK
CHOOSING JURORS**

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—With five tentatively accepted jurors remaining in the box when court opened today, two more prospects were tentatively accepted by the state in trial of former Senator William Lorimer as a bank wrecker when court adjourned at noon. Attorneys believe that at least a week will elapse before the jury is completed.

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**MIDSHIPMAN WILL
BE CHOSEN FROM
SEVENTH DISTRICT**

Representative Esch Arranges for Civil Service Examinations to Select Appointee

An additional midshipman for Annapolis will be appointed from this district by Representative John J. Esch, it became known today. Congress has just passed an act increasing the student body at the naval academy, and Mr. Esch today announced that examination for the post will be conducted March 25 at selected places in the district.

Mr. Esch has made arrangements with the state civil service commission to conduct the examinations, which will cover English, Geography, Arithmetic, Algebra, Geometry and United States history. The examinations are open to residents of the Seventh district between 16 and 20 years of age.

"Should there be any applicants," Mr. Esch writes the TRIBUNE, "it would aid me if they could send me their full names and addresses."

**SEEKING SPONSORS
FOR BURGLAR TRIO**

Knickerbockered Store-breakers May Be Saved from Industrial School by "Big Brothers"

Chief of Police John B. Webber today is interviewing well-known business men of the city to find two who are willing to be sponsors for "baby burglars". He has determined to parole the trio of knickerbockered store-breakers arrested Sunday. One "big brother" has agreed to take hold. Two more are needed.

The "baby burglars" will appear in court Saturday morning, probably for parole. They have been sentenced to Waukesha industrial school, but if the "big brothers" are found they will be kept in La Crosse and at liberty.

Principal William C. Greenwald of the Washburn school today protested against a statement that Floyd Kosbab, "Jack" Kindhammer and Albert Knothe were all pupils of his school. Eleven year old "Jack", he said, declared by the police to be leader of the gang, is a student of St. Joseph's.

**LONDON SILENT ON
REPORT JAPS ARE
IN MEDITERRANEAN**

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The admiralty today would not comment on German reports, transmitted through aircraft, that a Japanese fleet, accompanied by a large number of aircraft, has arrived in the Mediterranean to co-operate with the allies.

The Times, in publishing the German report, which is said to have come from Italian sources, recalled the rumor of a month ago that Japanese warships would leave for the Mediterranean to protect Japanese shipping against Austro-German submarines. It was stated at that time that three armored cruisers, the Tokiwa, the Chitosa and the Kasuga, all small vessels, would be sent to the Mediterranean.

**HOLD UP PAYROLL
PENDING PROBE**

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—The city civil service commission today ordered the payroll of the department of public welfare held up pending its investigation of Chicago's alleged petticoat politics graft scandal.

The commission announced it will summon Mrs. Louise Osborne Rowe, head of the department, who is accused of collecting one-third of the salary of Mrs. Page Waller Eaton, former subordinate in her department; Mrs. Eaton, Mrs. Margaret Mivellaz, Mayor Thompson's sister-in-law, and Mrs. Maizie Thompson, wife of the mayor, to testify at its investigation, beginning tomorrow.

REFUGEE COMES TO AMERICA

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Madam Grouitch, who with wives of other Serbian officials escaped from Nish before its capture by the Bulgarians, will leave for her former home in America within a few days to recuperate. Her health underwent a severe strain in the flight to Monastir along the Albanian "trail of horrors."

CAN'T APPOINT RECEIVER

DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 23.—Federal Judge Meek ruled this afternoon that he had no jurisdiction in the suit of the Bankers' Trust company of New York for appointment of a receiver for the Texas and Pacific railroad and the New Orleans and Pacific, a subsidiary, and dismissed the bill.

**BOARD IS NAMED
TO RUN CHURCH
PUBLICITY PLANS**

Executive Committee Is Named of Pastors and Laymen to Push Go-to-Church Campaign

Definite steps towards opening the "Go to Church" advertising campaign to be participated in by eleven La Crosse churches from March 1 until Easter Sunday, were taken at a meeting of the pastors and church heads at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday evening.

An executive committee composed of the following was appointed: Rev. C. C. Rowilson, pastor of the First Congregational church, chairman; Rev. J. H. Benson, pastor of the Caledonia Methodist church, secretary; Harry L. Woods of the Presbyterian church, treasurer. Other members of the committee will be the pastor of each church participating in the campaign and laymen from each church.

Five subcommittees, the members of which have not been announced, are finance committee, advertising committee, unification committee, evangelism committee, and woman's work committee.

The churches in the campaign, which is to be broad in its scope, are the First Baptist, German Baptist, Tabernacle Baptist, Congregational, First Methodist, Caledonia Street Methodist, First German Methodist, West Avenue Methodist, First Presbyterian, North Presbyterian, and the Universalist church.

The next meeting of the executive committee will be held at the Y. M. C. A. on the evening of March 1, at 8 o'clock. Reports of the five mentioned committees will then be read, and the work of boosting attendance at church will be begun in earnest.

**ORPET CONVERTS
JAIL CELL INTO
STUDENTS ROOM**

WAUKEGAN, Ill., Feb. 23.—Only a few pennants were lacking in wall decorations today to make William E. Orpet's cell at the Lake County jail appear like the room of a college student.

The Wisconsin university junior, charged with the murder of Marian Lambert prepared for a long stay in jail by moving many of his personal belongings to the big cell he shares with three other prisoners.

Orpet's counsel have definitely decided to reserve all the strength for the trial and, beyond a plea of not guilty, will waive examination at the magistrate's hearing next Monday.

**MRS. F. J. WARNER
CROSSES THE RIVER**

Mrs. Agnes A. Warner, wife of F. J. Warner, died at her home, 614 South Fourth street, at 1 o'clock this morning. Mrs. Warner had been an invalid for many years, a sufferer from rheumatism. She was born in Hannibal, Mo., in 1851, and had been a resident of La Crosse for many years. Her husband is the only survivor.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 from the undertaking parlors of Elbertson and Drake. Rev. D. C. Jones of the First Presbyterian church will officiate.

**LORD CECIL NAMED
BLOCKADE MINISTER**

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Premier Asquith in the house of commons this afternoon made formal announcement of the appointment of Lord Robert Cecil as minister of blockade, with the admiralty co-operating with him in an advisory capacity.

The announcement was made immediately after a cabinet session at which Lord Cecil, formerly under foreign secretary appeared for the first time in his new role.

ABERDEENS AT PITTSBURG

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 23.—The Marquis of Aberdeen and Lady Aberdeen, who have been resting in the southern watering places after their tour of America, reached Pittsburgh today.

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When J. Stuart Blackton, head of the Vitaphone Company, undertook to produce "The Battle Cry of Peace" he made it clear that the great picture pleaded for preparation against war.

For years all measures advocating proper military and naval defenses have been defeated in whole or in part by the influence of the "peace at any price" and "pacifist" fanatics because of the fact that the sponsors for such measures invariably stated that they were preparations for war.

For that reason Mr. Blackton insisted that the great navy and army for which he pleads in "The Battle Cry of Peace" is not to help the country to be ready for war, but to be able to protect itself against it.

Peace, like a jewel of great price, must be guarded lest the hand of the spoiler make away with it.

No woman would leave her diamonds or a pearl necklace on the front porch when she retires for the night. Yet that is what the "pacifists" are asking the people of America to do—to leave their lives and their liberties, not to mention their wealth, the honor of their wives and daughters and the very existence of the nation, on the front doorstep while they dream of a distant millennium of universal peace.

"The Battle Cry of Peace" shows the

bombardment of New York by a fleet of enemy battleships, the guns of which are of superior caliber to the fourteen inch guns of the coast defenses; the subsequent invasion of the city and the surrounding country by a hostile army, the resultant destruction to life and property and the numberless atrocities which invariably accompany the march of an invading army.

The American troops outnumbered, their guns outranged, make a heroic but useless defense. They are blown to bits by the enemy's great howitzers, and the invaders continue their triumphant march to where the rich cities of the middle west, undefended and helpless, lie waiting for the hand of the conqueror to wring them dry of their wealth, devastate the homes of their citizens and make a laughing stock of the honor of American women and a byword of American liberty.

With this terrible story Mr. Blackton flings down the gauntlet to the short-sighted and vainglorious "pacifists"

who decry preparedness—the kind "Who didn't raise their boys to be soldiers," and the kind of men who would rather see the money of the country going into almost anything than into big guns and ships to defend the lives and honor of American men and women.

The day of the warrior whose personal strength and courage could stand off an army has passed. This is the age of machinery. The man with the longest range gun and the most ammunition wins the fight. Courage and manhood are as necessary as ever, but neither the most manly nor the most courageous man in the world can remain alive in front of a machine gun.

It was to help to defend our country and our people from the blight of war that "The Battle Cry of Peace" was conceived and in it the terrors and horrors of war are shown in order that the people may demand that they be protected from them. Such protection means aeroplanes, sea planes, battleships, battle cruisers, fast scout

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NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Lieutenant Charles Sweeney of Spokane, the Foreign Legion and elsewhere, arrived in New York yesterday on the French liner LaFayette. He carried a bullet in his lung, the famous Croix de Guerre on his chest and the gold cross of the Legion of Honor dangled from a gold chain around his neck.



Events In The War One Year Ago Today

Russia admitted losing an entire army corps in the retreat from East Prussia. The Russians and Austrian armies swayed in a death grip in the Carpathian passes. England said cotton would be made contraband of war. The long expected western drive of the allies was again postponed because "Russia was holding her own." England closed the North Channel. The American cotton steamer Carib was sunk by a German mine.

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Funeral Services Are Held for Mrs. C. G. Lewis, Native of Michigan Who Leaves Husband

MONROE COUNTY CARRIERS MEET

Convention of Uncle Sam's Rural Carriers Ends with Banquet and Dance at Sidney Yesterday

SPARTA, Wis., Feb. 23.—(Special.)—Funeral services for Mrs. C. G. Lewis were held yesterday at 10 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William E. Davis on North Water street. Rev. Harding R. Hogan conducted the service.

Mrs. Lewis was taken ill several weeks ago with the grip, but recovered to some extent so she was able to be about the house, but her health seemed to be undermined and she grew steadily weaker until the end came Thursday evening.

Mrs. Lewis, nee Eliza Bush, was born February 6, 1843, in Michigan and came to Wisconsin with her parents when she was a child. She was a graduate of the Sun Prairie high school and became a successful teacher, which profession she followed until her marriage to Charles Lewis in 1865.

Many years ago they took up their residence in Sparta, but for eight years she and her husband made their home with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Davis. Three children survive, Mrs. Davis of this city, Carl H., and Silas M. Lewis of Minneapolis. These, with the aged husband, who in his ninety-third year, and six grand-children, share the sympathy of the community.

Carriers Meet

The Monroe County Rural Carriers' convention was held here yesterday. In the neighborhood of fifty visitors were present. There was a business meeting held in the afternoon, a banquet in the evening in the private dining room of the Sidney hotel, to which the post office force, the rural carriers, the visiting carriers, and wives of all, were invited, and a dance at Assembly hall concluded the day's affairs. The music for the dance was furnished by Gustad's orchestra.

Attends Funeral

Dr. Fred De Bruin left Sunday night for Chicago to attend the funeral of his aunt.

"Ods and Ends"

The "Ods and Ends" will be entertained tonight at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hal J. Davis.

Mrs. Wood Dies

Mrs. Esther Wood passed away at the home of her brother, Mr. Reynolds, in the town of Angelo Thursday, at the age of 56 years. Her husband died last fall and she had come here from Canada to visit relatives and friends when she was taken sick. The body was taken to Oakdale Sunday for burial.

Baby Dies

The three-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Olsen, Frances Woodrow Olsen, died at their home Saturday morning, and was buried yesterday in the Catholic cemetery.

Mrs. Lewis Entertains

Mrs. Edward Lewis gave a delightful dinner party last evening to a large number of friends.

Clubs Meet

The Coterie club met with Mrs. Clara Conklin.

The Entre Nous club were entertained at the home of Miss Myrtle Hoffman.

The Home Study club met with Miss Olive Chadsey.

Local and Personal

Miss Ora Perry, who has been in Milladore the past two weeks, visiting friends, has returned home because of her mother's poor health.

Elveter Jackson made a business trip to La Crosse Sunday.

Miss Florence Reeder is a patient in St. Mary's hospital, recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

Bert Pilcher stopped here Saturday night, coming from Chicago en route to his home in Minneapolis.

His brother, Dr. Fred Pilcher, accompanied him home for a couple of days' visit in the Twin Cities.

Mrs. O. J. Jackson entertained in honor of Mrs. Laura Abrahamson of

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Minneapolis, who has been a guest in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hollenbeck were pleasantly surprised at their home Thursday evening when a company of friends came and took possession of their home.

Miss Margaret Carnes of Hillsboro has been visiting Mrs. George Cole. Attorney Z. S. Rice spent Monday in Wilton.

Herbert Hebard and Emery Jones spent Sunday in La Crosse.

Donald Lange of Minneapolis, a former resident of Sparta, was renewing old acquaintances in the city Monday. He is on the road selling bonds, and departed Monday night.

Mrs. Thomas Knudson entertained Saturday to compliment Mrs. Laura Abrahamson of Minneapolis, who has been a guest in the city.

Garman Moffett has returned home from New Orleans and a trip through the state of Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lewis and Silas Lewis of Minneapolis are in the city, called here by the death of their mother, Mrs. C. G. Lewis. They were here a week ago, but had returned home, thinking their mother was better, but were summoned here again for her funeral.

Miss Viola Plume has resumed her duties as clerk in the George Herbst

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RUSHFORD PIONEER DIES AT NORWAY TOWNSHIP HOME

Thomas Kopperud Dies on Tuesday and Is Buried with Services Saturday from Kopperud Church

SISTERS PRINCIPALS IN WEDDINGS

Mathilda Hallum and Sister Hilda Take Husbands at Their Mother's Home on Same Occasion

RUSHFORD, Minn., Feb. 23.—(Special.)—Thomas Kopperud, a pioneer of Norway township, passed away at his home Tuesday. He had been in failing health for some months. Funeral services were held on Saturday from the home and the church, the latter being known as the Kopperud church.

Sisters are Brides
A wedding reception for the two happy couples recently married, took place yesterday at the home of Mrs. H. A. Hallum, mother of the two brides. Miss Mathilda Hallum became the bride of George Alfson recently and her sister, Miss Hilda Hallum, was wedded to Melvin Mindrum, of this city. About eighty families were present at the reception.

From Rushford, Can.
Mr. and Mrs. Owen Mohan, whose home is now in Rushford, Canada, returned to that place recently, after a visit with their many friends and relatives in and around this city.

Rushford, Canada, is a settlement composed almost entirely of Rushford, people.

Local and Personal
Andrew Brand, one of Hart's prosperous farmers, has disposed of 210 acres in that vicinity for the sum of \$9,187.50, the purchaser being Herman Runge of Hart.

Rev. John Rockne has recently returned from a conference of English speaking ministers of the Lutheran church, the meeting held held at Northfield, this state.

O. C. Johnson's new residence in Brooklyn, is now occupied by his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. Trickson, who lately arrived here from the western part of this state.

Miss Bertha Blanchfield and Mr. Soren Backman, both members of the Presbyterian church choir and the lady for a number of years treasurer of the Presbyterian S. S., were guests of honor at a merry "spread" which

Dry Goods store after enjoying a vacation in Chicago.

Miss Ethel Burrows spent Sunday in La Crosse, a guest of her sister, Mrs. A. A. Kleppen.

Milton Munson of Winona is spending a few days at the home of Arthur Stannard.

George Chaffee has returned home from Milwaukee where he represented the Royal Arch Masons at the meeting of the Grand Chapter.

Miss Janet Conklin entertained fifteen of her young friends Saturday afternoon at a 6 o'clock dinner, the occasion being her thirteenth birthday. The table was especially pretty with a large white birthday cake in the center, surrounded by red candles, and a basket of red carnations on each end of the table.

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor spent Sunday in Tomah visiting relatives.

Harry Sutherland, from Elroy, spent Sunday here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Hunt, who makes her home with Mr. and Mrs. Moses Roberts, is very sick.

Miss Mary Murray of Cuba City is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Muehlenkamp.

A jolly company was entertained Saturday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Carl M. Beebe, to help the doctor celebrate his birthday. A delicious supper was served, after which every one had a good social time and enjoyed the excellent music which was given.

Mr. and Mrs. Seward Letson, Mr. and Mrs. William Hemstock, Mrs. Levi Rathburn, Mrs. McGiffin and daughter, Miss Wilma McGiffin, Robert McCoy, Mrs. Gibbon, John Roberts, the Misses Gross and Gullikson of Sparta were La Crosse visitors today to attend the theater.

Mrs. Vera Willgans spent Tuesday in La Crosse.

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took place at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Bantly, last Friday evening. The fore part of the evening was spent in playing games, listening to piano and violin music and general sociability. After luncheon was served, Rev. Bantly, in behalf of the corps of S. S. officers and instructors, presented Miss Blanchfield with a manicule set, as a token of esteem. Miss Blanchfield will depart next week Tuesday for Minneapolis to take up work in a hospital there, while Mr. Backman will go to the same city to commence work in a tent and awning factory. His family will not leave this city until the close of school, in June, we understand.

Alfred Eggen has gone up near Stanley, Wis., to grade and scale about seventy thousand feet of lumber from the Eggen land near the Wisconsin city. The greater share of the timber is hemlock, birch and fir.

The father of Rushford's mayor, Mr. M. Johnson, passed away at the former's home in Stewartville, a few days ago.

In the preliminary declamatory contest, held last Thursday at the High school assembly room, the following students participated: Oratorical class, Walter Webster, Jerome Ristey, Elvin Halvorson; Dramatic class, Gladys Prinzing, Mabel Tungland, Katherine Akre, Florence Bluge; Humorous class, Elsie Bently, Josephine Vaagen, Elvin Halvorson and Jerome Ristey won first and second places, respectively, in the oratorical class; Mabel Tungland and Florence Bluge took first and second places as named in Dramatic class, and in the Humorous class Elsie Bantly ranked first with Josephine Vaagen second. Interspersed between the speaking, there were given fine selections by the high school chorus and orchestra; vocal and instrumental duets and music by a quartet. The winners in each of the classes will go to Houston next Friday to participate in the final contest to be given there. Lanesboro is the third in the trio and will also send contestants.

Martin Nelson, the Rushford contractor, has secured the contract for the new brick school house to be erected at Hart. The building will be modern in all respects.

NEW INFANT MALADY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—One child is dead and a number of others are seriously ill of impetigo bullosa, a rare disease that attacks only new born babies, at Columbia hospital, where scores of babies and their mothers are treated daily. The presence of the epidemic became known with a health department report. Impetigo bullosa in other forms attacks adults. It is rare in this country.

WANTS UNIVERSAL SERVICE

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—A plea for universal military service in the United States was made yesterday by United States Senator James W. Wadsworth of New York, in an address at the Union League club's Washington birthday luncheon.

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One of the foremost medical authorities of New York City in a lecture in the international clinics, said:

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If you have had the grip rest those symptoms again: "Languor of mind and body, disturbed, fitful sleep and vague pains in the head and elsewhere."

If you have any or all of these, it means that you are still suffering from the effects of the grip and that you will not be well and

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BRINGING UP FATHER

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By GEORGE McMANUS





You know who this is. Prizes for You if you can guess who the others are.

Appearing below are the pictures of twelve well known motion picture stars. How many of them do you recognize? Study the pictures and make out a list of those you know, giving number and name. A sixty day pass, good for two, at either the Strand or Casino will be offered as first prize to the first person turning in a correct list. A thirty day pass good for two at either theatre, will be second prize, and a thirty day pass, good for one person, at either theatre, will be the third prize. All persons turning in a list with six or more correct answers will receive two admission tickets at either theatre. All answers must be handed in by Friday night Feb. 25. On Saturday the names of the stars will appear under their pictures, and the names of the prize winners will also be published on Saturday. Chaplin's picture is not to be included.

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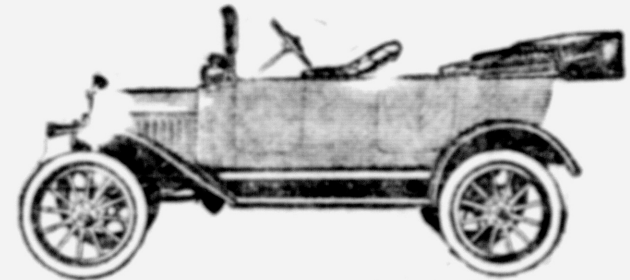
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the public under its magic spell, has been adapted by the Famous Players Film company and will be the Paramount picture at the Bijou this week Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

"The Old Homestead," like "Uncle Tom's Cabin," has proven its popularity and its undying interest to generation after generation of theatergoers, and it is estimated by Frank Thompson, son and heir of the celebrated author-actor, from whom the rights to the adaptation were obtained, that in the three decades during which the play was being presented on the stage, it was seen by over twenty million people in the United States and Canada.

It is interesting to know that Thompson drew his characters from real life, and that the name Joshua Whitcomb is actually a composite of the names of two New Hampshire neighbors whom the author knew and admired. The scene of the rural portion of the drama was laid in and about the Thompson home in the farm district of the adjacent country, and every character in the play had its counterpart in real life.

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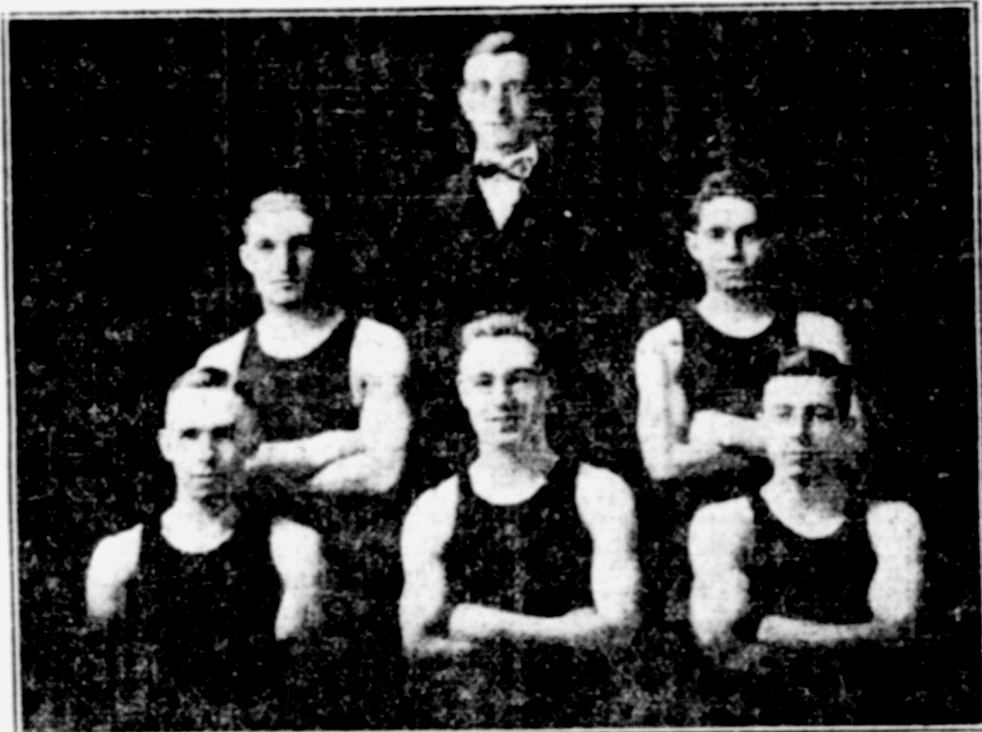
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Tomah Cardinals Standing—Palmer, g.; McCauley, manager; Varger, f. Sitting—Maxwell, g.; Benjamin, c.; Higgins, f.

TOMAH, Wis., Feb. 23. (Special) —Tomah awaits the advent of the Oswegos of Fond du Lac tomorrow night in the first mix of the three game series with the Tomah Cardinals. The Cardinals, winning, would claim the professional title of the United States, as the Oswegos, formerly of New York, claim the title at the present time.

GERARD'S BROKEN COLLARBONE RESET

BERLIN, Feb. 23.—Ambassador Gerard's broken collarbone was reset at a Berlin hospital late yesterday and the ambassador was at the embassy today, limping slightly from an injury to his leg sustained while skiing near Munich. Gerard probably will be unable to return to his desk for six weeks, but will supervise affairs at the embassy.

WATERLOO DISASTROUS

BERLIN, via Wireless to Salville, L. I., Feb. 23.—Fifty-five bodies have been recovered and thirty persons are still missing, the result of the snowslide at Hochkoenig, in the Alps, according to dispatches received here. One hundred Russian war prisoners are aiding in the work of rescue.

LIFE UNDERWRITERS MEET

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Plans have been completed for the entertainment of the life insurance men who will arrive tomorrow for the First Southeastern Congress of the life underwriters' associations. The meeting will be one of the biggest ever held by insurance men.

Begin Adele Loehmann's new mystery serial, "Missing—Roberta Hoyt," this week in EVERY WEEK.

WAR ODDITIES

LONDON.—Nine hundred boys of the Church of England's Waifs and Strays society are serving in the Army and Navy, one having been promoted to a captaincy.

MANCHESTER.—A sixteen-year-old youth charged with attempting suicide has pleaded that his father and brothers had joined the army while he had been rejected six times.

Advertisement for Arrow Collars, featuring a collar illustration and text: MARLEY 2 1/2 IN. DEVON 2 1/4 IN. ARROW COLLARS 2 FOR 25 CENTS. CLUETT PEABODY & CO. INC. TROY, N.Y.

BILLIARDS

Y. M. C. A. Handicap Class B—Goff, 60, defeated Weiss, 60, 60-54. Class C—Gunderson, 40, defeated Moore, 25, 40-21.

AHEARN FOULED BUT FRIENDS HAD TO TELL HIM SO

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Jake Ahearn was hailed by his "knockers" as an actor today, following his victory over George Chip on a foul in the feature fight of New York's holiday card. The former middleweight title aspirant did not discover he was fouled until his seconds and the referee called Chip's attention to the low blow, Chip's friends said. At that point, however, Ahearn's countenance registered intense suffering and he writhed in an active imitation of a museum dancer. Referee Hancock gave him the fight.

STECHEER WORKS FOR CHANCE AT CHAMPION GOTCH

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—Joe Stecher, the Nebraska grappling wizard, will match holds tonight with John Freiberg, who recently gained fame as a "masked marvel." Stecher never has been defeated. A match with Gotch is in the offering for Stecher if he wins, Omaha offering \$35,000 and Kansas City \$30,000 for the bout, according to the promoters.

INDEPENDENTS PLAY NORMAL CHAMPIONS

One of the best basketball games played at the Y. M. C. A. this year is expected this evening when the Independents and the college class team of the normal school, champions of the normal class league, meet in the association gymnasium. Admission will be free.

KNOCKED UNCONSCIOUS

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Feb. 23.—Steve Latzo of Hazelton, state welter champion, last night knocked Johnny Baker, New York, unconscious for fifteen minutes in the second round of their scheduled ten round bout here.

THE FIRST SUBMARINE

Did you know that a Yankee discovered the first submarine? How did it run? See the diagram and the story in EVERY WEEK.

Ramblers And Rivals Can't Break Away

Centrals Defeated 8 to 1 By Eddy Clan While Rivals Land on Owls 8 to 6

The Ramblers and Rivals are still tied for first place in the City Indoor League, following victories by the teams last night over the Centrals and Owls. The Ramblers, Eddy throwing, landed on the Centrals, erstwhile disputants for the lead, 8 to 1. Wolfe threw for the Centrals. Konetchy of the Rivals had a slight edge over Formanek of the Owls, winning out narrowly by 8 to 6.

The Indians defeated the Naps 8 to 3 in their fourth straight thirteen-inning game, Hoeft and Krismer pitching for them. The Indians landed on their opponents in the thirteenth and pushed over five runs, breaking the 3-3 tie. Bedesem hurried for the Naps.

Games scheduled for Thursday night are: Indians vs. Centrals at Kabat's, Naps vs. Rivals at Kabat's. The Ramblers and Owls are scheduled for Friday at Bohemian hall.

REPORT OF DEATH OF DEMAREST IS BRANDED UNTRUE

ELGIN, Ill., Feb. 23.—Dr. M. C. Hawley, assistant superintendent of the Elgin State hospital, stated today that he was unable to explain reports that Calvin Demarest, one time holder of the world's amateur billiard championship, had died. "Demarest is in practically the same condition as when he was committed here several months ago," said Dr. Hawley.

ANDERSON GETS SIXTH STRAIGHT

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Andre Anderson, the Milwaukee heavyweight, continues his duck soup diet in local pugilistic company. Anderson's sixth straight scalp in his New York campaign dangled at his belt today, a knockout over Jim Stewart, the veteran heavy.

ERTLE AND SCHUBERT DRAW

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Feb. 23.—John Ertle of St. Paul and Al Schubert of New Bedford, fought twelve fast rounds to a draw last night. Ertle had a slight advantage towards the end of the fight.

"BIG 9" TABLE

Conference	Standings	Won	Lost	Pct.
Wisconsin	6	1	.857
Northwestern	6	2	.750
Illinois	5	2	.714
Iowa	2	2	.500
Minnesota	2	3	.400
Indiana	1	2	.333
Ohio	2	5	.286
Chicago	2	5	.286
Purdue	2	6	.250

SPORTS

DOPESTERS CLAIM STATE FLAG FOR NORMAL SHOOTERS

La Crosse Beat Point; Point Beat Lawrence; Lawrence Beat Milwaukee; Figure It Out

The La Crosse normal school basketball team already holds the championship of the state normal conference, according to the dope that is afloat at the local state school. As La Crosse has defeated all the teams in the northern section, it is conceded, the fans argue, that these feats can be duplicated on the return games, which will give the championship of the north to La Crosse. What remains is to prove that Weiss's team is stronger than any aggregation that the south can boast of. Milwaukee is looked upon as the strongest bidder for southern honors, but this has not been definitely established. Here is where the dope begins to work. In the first place, La Crosse downed Stevens Point by the score of 47 to 20. Stevens Point in turn defeated Lawrence college 24 to 20 and the Lawrence quintet jumped on Milwaukee's team to the tune of 37 to 23. According to this juggling of figures, La Crosse has already defeated the famous Milwaukeeans by forty-five points. The locals were also victorious from Platteville by a large score while the Cream City boys defeated them by two points.

However, the fact remains that La Crosse normal must first defeat both Stevens Point and River Falls in return games and defeat Milwaukee in two out of three games before they can call themselves the 1916 state champions.

ILLINOIS BEATS GOPHERS

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 23.—Illinois put a quietus to Minnesota basketball hopes here Monday night when they defeated the Gophers 27 to 22.

IF BACK HURTS BEGIN ON SALTS

Flush your Kidneys occasionally if you eat meat regularly.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.



Prudence of the Parsonage is a story as fresh and sweet as cherry blossoms with dew on them. —James Whitcomb Riley

PRUDENCE OF THE PARSONAGE

A Novel by Ethel Hueston

Little Women bids fair to have a rival in Ethel Hueston's novel, brimming with the fun and frolic of healthy, hearty girlhood. A delicate wild rose love story tempers with madcap merriment. —Review of Reviews There are five children, all girls, to bring up; and Prudence, the oldest, does the mothering. The exploits and adventures keep one on the jump; the tale bubbles over with the humor of a typical American family, and a pretty love story is the climax. —Sunday School Times

Pictures by A. W. Brown. All Stores. Price \$1.25 net. THE BOBBY-MERRILL COMPANY, Publishers

The Stranger — (with more apologies) — — — — — By Briggs

Comic strip titled 'The Stranger' by Briggs. It consists of 12 panels showing a man and a woman in various situations. The dialogue in the panels includes: 'WHO'S THIS PERSON, HUSBAND DEAR? SOME FRIEND OF YOURS? AIN'T SHE QUIFFER?', 'HUSH SWEET WIFE, DON'T TALK SO WILD. SHE'S OUR LONG-LOST, WANDERING CHILD.', 'SHE'S OUR CHILD? THAT CAN'T BE SO. GLADDUS DIED TWO YEARS AGO.', 'GLADDUS CROAK? WANT YOU HELP? GLADDUS LEFT US TO ONE STEP.', 'DANCING NOW IS OUT OF DATE, SO SHE'S COME HOME. SHE CAN'T SKATE.', 'NO CHANCE NOW TO EARN HER SALT, FORGIVE HER, MA, -TAINT HER FAULT.', 'SEE! SHE SPEAKS. WHAT IS IT PET? SHE BEGS YOU FOR A CIGARETTE.', 'THE PICTURES ARE OURS - "Verse" by Ambrose Glutz of Saratoga - Apologies to J. P. McEvoy'.

PETHEY DINK—You'll Have to Wait Till the Spring Thaws, Petey

By C. A. VOIGHT



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Under any classification, one-half cent. per word for each insertion. No single insertion for less than fifteen cents.

A MONTHLY RATE of fifty cents per line per month is made on standing ads. Nothing less than three lines accepted under this rate.

TELEPHONE YOUR AD. TO THE TRIBUNE office any time before noon, and it will be inserted the same day.

BOTH PHONES 323

WANTED—MALE HELP

WANTED—Men to learn the barber trade. Few weeks completes. Actual experience, careful instructions. A method that has placed thousands in good positions. Can we help you? Write Moler Barber College, Milwaukee, Wis. Established 1893.

2 19 25

WANTED—First class experienced machinist at once by a large Minneapolis manufacturing concern. Good wages, steady work. Address Wages, care Tribune.

2 9 3 8

WANTED—A first class experienced clerk for general store. Norwegian preferred. Application to 115 S. 5th St.

2-19-25

WANTED—Young man to learn baking trade. Ruplin Baking Co., 412 South 4th.

2 22 3 6

SALESMEN

WANTED—Salesman on commission who is traveling out of La Crosse or covering territory tributary to La Crosse, to handle leading line of linoleum. State territory you cover, how often, and lines handled. Address "Linoleum," care Tribune.

2 1 1 f

AGENTS

AGENTS—Large manufacturer wants reliable men, women, to sell guaranteed hosiery, underwear, shirts, direct to homes. Write for free samples Madison Mills, 588 Broadway, New York.

WANTED—Female Help

WANTED—Young women to take nurses training at the Prairie du Chien Sanitarium, Prairie du Chien, Wisconsin.

2 14 26

WANTED—Two girls, housework. Mrs. A. I. Stubbs, West Salem.

2 22 24

WANTED—Girls, La Crosse Steam Laundry Co., 117 South Front.

2 23 25

WANTED—Apprentice sewing girl. Miss Schve, 219 South Fifth.

2 23 26

WANTED—Girl at Union hotel, 427 South Third.

2 12 1 f

WANTED—Two girls, Hotel Foley, 501 Mill.

2 12 1 f

WANTED—Girls, La Crosse Paper Co. Factory.

2 12 1 f

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—By middle aged lady, position as housekeeper or care of aged person. New phone 921-C.

2 23 25

WANTED—Position by experienced stenographer. Address XXX, care Tribune.

2 19 1 f

WANTED—Washing and ironing. Call new phone 1426-A.

2 23 29

REAL ESTATE for Sale or Trade

Two FARMERS badly needed to raise supplies to feed them employees of the \$20,000,000.00 Steel Plant, which is now in operation at Duluth, L. B. Arnold, Land Agent, C. R. I. & P. Ry. Co., 145 Wolvin Bldg., Duluth, Minn.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Farm, seven miles from Bangor, 230 acres, 106 under cultivation, good buildings, orchard, well, windmill, spring in pasture. Martin Anderson, R. 2, Bangor.

2 17 4 16

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop on North Fourth street; very reasonable if taken at once. Apply at Radtke's saloon, 509 North Fourth street.

2 19 3 3

FOR SALE—Summer cottage located in "Shore Acres" on Mississippi. Buy now, build later. \$109 up. Kider, 114 North Fifth.

3 27 1 f

FOR SALE OR RENT—House 827 South Ninth.

2 22 28

FOR SALE—Six room house and two story brick. Also light housekeeping rooms for rent. Inquire 119 So. Seventh.

2 23 3 1

FOR SALE—1½ acres land in lots, with 15 room house, barn, well; half in strawberries, in village of La Crosse, Minn. Box 135.

2 17 23

FOR SALE—On easy terms, eight room house, 12 acres good land, 20 acres timber land. August Prahl, Sparta.

2 17 28

FARM FOR SALE—Near Chaseburg, 120 acre land. Inquire at Gust Grosskopf, Chaseburg, Wis.

2 19 3 18

FOR SALE—Six room house for removal, 320 Jay street. Inquire 427 Ma' street.

2 9 1 f

FOR SALE—Eleven room house, all modern except heat. 1012 South Eighth street.

2 22 29

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Automobiles. Good used cars, overhauled and guaranteed. 5 passenger Flanders \$275. 2 passenger Studebaker \$285. 5 passenger Ford \$290. 5 passenger E. M. F. \$415. 2 passenger Studebaker \$525. 7 passenger Studebaker Six \$625. Elsen & Phillips, 110 South Second street. New phone 61; old phone 5613.

2 21 23

ONE HORSE, two high grade cows and calf, tuberculin tested, a complete set of farm tools and machinery, double and single harness, two buggies and wagons, tobacco planter, cultivator, etc. Good chance for new beginner. New phone 931-black. John Van Loon, Losey boulevard.

2 22 3 1

FOR SALE—By a customer, two dress suits, slightly worn. Call A. J. Brady, Merchant Tailor, Batavian Bank building.

14 1 f

FOR SALE—One large office desk. Must be moved, will sell cheap. L. E. Ledman, 125 South Third. New phone 1338-R.

2 21 23

FOR SALE—Buffet, dining room table, sectional book case and settee. Call mornings, 119 North Tenth.

2 22 28

FOR SALE—Cheap, two soft coal heaters and one gas stove. New phone 1723-R.

2 22 24

FOR SALE—Cheap, good registered German coach stallion. A. S. Atkins, Viroqua, Wis.

2 21 26

COLUMBIA double disc records, 65c. Weiss' Book Store.

2 23 3 17

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One nicely furnished sleeping room for two, also one room furnished for light housekeeping. Inquire L. B. Ledman, 125 North Third. New phone 1338-R.

2 21 23

FOR RENT—Cottage after March 1; all modern except heat, five rooms, \$17.50 per month. 506 North Ninth.

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FOR RENT—Four room flat with bath and sleeping porch. 1334 Ferry street.

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FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. 502 South Seventh. 1789-R.

2 23 1 f

FOR RENT—Two modern furnished rooms. 531 King street. 1256-R.

2 23 25

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms for housekeeping. Phone 1487-A.

2 22 24

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. Call 342 or 822-M.

1 12 1 f

HOUSE FOR RENT—Five rooms, modern except heat. 612 South Eighth.

2 22 24

MODERN FURNISHED ROOM with city heat. 221 South Seventh.

2 22 24

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Private entrance. 1408 Division.

2 14 26

FOR RENT—Ten room modern house, 130 North 7th. Phone 370-A.

2-19-3

NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS, city heat, \$1.50 up. Board if preferred. 424 South Fourth.

2 21 26

FOR RENT—Four rooms. 935 Market.

2 15 1 f

FOR RENT—Rooms. Inquire 624 South Third.

1 10 1 f

FOR RENT—Six room bungalow 407 South 23rd street.

12 31 1 f

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. 517 South Fourth. 2 14 26

FOR RENT—Small city heated flat. Inquire 119 So. 10th St.

2-19-3

WANTED—Three or four unfurnished rooms for man and wife. 1619, Tribune.

2 22 24

MISCELLANEOUS

EAT AT THE GEM RESTAURANT—Best place in city to eat. Everything home cooked. Dinner 25c. Sunday chicken dinner 30c. Meal tickets \$3.50. Buy one. Short orders a specialty. Gem Restaurant, 112½ North Fifth.

2 23 29

FOR THE BEST GRADE OF gasoline and oil engines, engineering equipments, pumps, implements and vehicles, see the Cast. Engineering Co. 325-327 Jay street.

3 24 1 f

WANTED—Oak lumber, red and white; also oak wagon stock. Will accept small quantities or car lots. Seike & Kohlhaus Mfg. Co., La Crosse, Wis.

1 26 1 f

PIANO TUNING—Don't neglect your piano. Tuning \$1.50. Repairing. Geo. E. Birdsall, New 1094-C.

2 17 23

ALL MAKES of sewing machines repaired. Henry Kathary, phone 1852-M. Calls promptly attended.

2 8 3 7

WANTED TO BUY—Single bow row boat for portable motor. Address E. S. care Tribune.

2 21 26

CALL new phone 1529-C for power wood sawing.

11 20 1 f

LOST

LOST—Gold medal with name on one side. Return to Tribune. Reward.

2 23 25

FOUND

FOUND—Fox terrier, white with bob tail, black and brown face. Owner may have same by paying for ad. New phone 1463-M.

2 23 25

CUT RATE SHIPPING

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points, superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Shoe Repairing

Neatly done. Try New Shoe Shop, 609 Main.

2 10 3 9

Stoves and Furniture

SECOND-HAND furniture & stoves. Bell Furniture Co., 216 So. Third.

8 17 1 f

FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION has for sale three acres in the city limits.

2 3 1 f

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs.

9 9 1 f

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT.

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County, ss.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the second Tuesday, being the 14th day of March, A. D. 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of John Streeter, executor of the last will and testament of William J. Solberg, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County of La Crosse, deceased, for the adjustment, settlement and allowance of his final account as such executor and for the assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased to such persons as are entitled to the same.

By order of the Court,

JOHN BRINDLEY, County Judge.

JAMES THOMPSON, Attorney for Estate.

NOTICE TO PROVE WILL AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County.—In Probate.

In re estate of Mary Johnson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that at the special term of said Court to be held on the second Tuesday, being the 14th day of March, A. D. 1916, at the Court House in the City of La Crosse, County of La Crosse, and State of Wisconsin, there will be heard and considered the application of Charles Olson, to admit to probate the last will and testament of Mary

Daily Markets

(Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Wholesale

strawberries, Florida, quart 35c
Apples, Wash., ½ bbl. box 1.50
Apples, Jonathans, box 1.75
Apples, Jonathans, bbl. 3.50
Apples, Ben Davis, bbl. 3.25
Apples, Gemtons, bbl. 3.50
Apples, Winkler, bbl. 3.50
Oranges, Naval Sunkist, 3 to 4 lbs. 3.25
Oranges, Fla., per box 4.00
Cider, clarified, ½ bbl. 4.00
Cider, steam refined 3.75
Cider, crab apple, ½ bbl. 5.50
Cranberries, Late Howes, bbl. 10.00
Bananas 1.50, 2.00, 2.50
Lemons, 200 to 260 box 4.75
Grape fruit, per box 3.50
Celery, Michigan 15, 25, 50c
Oysters, Standard, gal. 1.25
Oysters, Selects, per gal. 1.50
Potatoes, Minn., bu. 1.10
Rutabagas, per hd. 1.25
Onions, per hd. 2.50
Cabbage, per bl. 1.50
Carrots, per tub 1.25
Parsnips, per tub 1.25

Livestock

(Quoted by Farmers Co-operative Packing Company)

Hogs \$5.75 to \$7.75
Cows \$5.00 to \$5.00
Steers \$4.00 to \$5.50
Calves \$3.50 to \$5.00
Heifers \$5.00 to \$7.50
Sheep \$3.50 to \$4.00
Spring Lambs \$5.50 to \$7.00

Poultry

Chickens 10 to 12c
Turkeys 16c
Ducks 10 to 12c
Geese 9c

Provisions

Lard, per pound 12 to 12½c
Shoulders, per pound 10 to 10½c
Picnics, per pound 11½ to 12c
Bacon, per pound 12 to 22c
Ham, per pound 14½ to 16c
Dried beef, per pound 18 to 20c

Flour and Feed

(Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)

Flour

Straight, per barrel \$6.70
Patent, per barrel \$6.90

Feed

Bran, per ton, 100 lb. sacks \$23.00
Shorts, per ton, 100 lb. sacks \$24.00
White middlings, per ton, 100 pound sacks \$29.00
Red Dog, ton, 100 lb. sacks \$31.00

Grain

(Quoted by Farmers Co-operative Market Co.)

Corn 75 to 85c
Oats 45 to 50c
Wheat \$1.00 to \$1.15
Rye 80 to 85c
Barley 70 to 50c

Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound 21 to 32c
Dairy butter, per pound 26 to 28c
Eggs, fresh, dozen 23c

Cheese

Fancy full cream Brick Cheese, in cases 16 to 18c
Wisconsin Twins 16 to 17c
Wisconsin Daisy's 15½ to 17c
Wisconsin Limburger 17 to 19c
Wisconsin Swiss, round 23 to 25c

WRECK AFFECTS NEW HAVEN ISSUE

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—New Haven sold off 7-8 to 67 on the Stock exchange at the opening today. In the face of reports of probably heavy losses through damages suits growing out of yesterday's wreck, the opening was generally considered steady.

United States Steel and Crucible opened up 3-8 at \$3 7-8 and 79 1-4 respectively. The general list showed irregular changes.

Prices generally receded after the first half hour trading.

The market was almost at a standstill during the early afternoon. Twenty-five thousand shares in an hour was the record between 1 and 2 o'clock. Trading in specialties was a little more brisk in the next hour. American Locomotive advanced 3% to 69¼c.

The market closed weak.

New York Money

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Money on call, 1-3-4 per cent; time money, 3 per cent for six months; prime mercantile, 3 per cent; bar silver; London, 27 1-16d; New York, 57c. Demand sterling, 4.76 1-2.

HOGS SHOW GAIN OVER HOLIDAY

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—The hog market closed fairly active with good hogs five cents higher than yesterday's average. Estimated for Thursday 37,000.

The cattle market closed strong with the top at \$9.65.

The sheep market closed weak. Top for sheep was \$8.35 and lambs \$11.30.

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Feb. 23.—Hogs—Receipts 40,000; market slow, 5c higher; mixed and butchers, \$8.15 to \$8.55; good heavy, \$8.30 to \$8.50; rough heavy, \$8.10 to \$8.25; light, \$7.95 to \$8.50; pigs, \$6.50 to \$7.60.

Sheep—Receipts 18,000; market weak; native, \$7.90 to \$8.30; western, \$7.90 to \$8.35; lambs, \$9.00 to \$10.75; western, \$9.25 to \$11.30.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 23.—Cattle—Receipts 5,000; market steady to 10c higher; steers, \$6.00 to \$9.00; cows and heifers, \$4.50 to \$7.75; calves, \$6.50 to \$10.75.

Hogs—Receipts 17,000; market 5c higher; bulk, \$8.00 to \$8.35; heavy, \$8.20 to \$8.40; medium, \$8.10 to \$8.35; light, \$7.90 to \$8.25.

Sheep—Receipts 7,000; market steady; lambs, \$10.40 to \$10.90; ewes, \$7.00 to \$7.75; stockers and feeders, \$5.00 to \$10.40.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—Butter—Creamery extras, 32c; extra firsts, 31-1-2 to 32c; firsts, 27-1-2 to 30-1-2; seconds, 24 to 26c.

Eggs—Ordinaries, 21 to 21-1-2c; firsts, 22 to 22-1-2c.

Cheese—Twins, 17-3-4 to 18c; Young Americas, 18-3-4 to 19c.

Live Poultry—Fowls, 15c; ducks, 17c; geese, 12 to 14c; springs, 17c; turkeys, 19c.

Potatoes—Receipts 26 cars; Wisconsin, Minnesota and Dakota, 82 to 88c.

UNITED STATES post office, La Crosse, Wis. Office of Custodian, February 23rd, 1916. Sealed proposals will be received at this building until 2 o'clock p. m., March 13, 1916, and then opened, for furnishing electric current, water, ice, and miscellaneous supplies, removing ashes and rubbish, and washing towels during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1917. Sealed proposals will also be received until 2 o'clock p. m., April 21, 1916, and then opened, for 175 tons bituminous coal and 4 cords wood. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved by the Treasury Department. Olaf R. Skaar, Custodian. Per C. C. Loane, Actg.

COMMITTEE MEETS TONIGHT

A meeting of the finance and health committees of the common council will be held in the city hall this evening.

Johnson, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County, deceased, and for the appointment of an executor, (or, administrator with will annexed).

Notice is hereby further given, that at the special term of said Court to be held at said Court House, on the third Tuesday, being the 20th day of June, A. D. 1916, there will be heard, considered and adjusted, all claims against said Mary Johnson, deceased.

And notice is hereby further given, that all such claims for examination and allowance must be presented to said County Court at the Court House in the City of La Crosse, in said county and state, on or before the 15th day of June, A. D. 1916, or be barred.

Dated Feb. 15, 1916.

By the Court,

HON. JOHN BRINDLEY, Judge.

MAHONEY & SCHUBERT, Attorneys for Petitioner.

DUTCH TANKER MINED

ROTTERDAM, Feb. 23.—The Dutch tanker La Frandre of 2,018 tons bound for New York, has been sunk by a mine. Only two survivors have been reported and the others are believed to have been lost.

FOR SALE

Picture Theatres

Two picture theatres in live towns near La Crosse. Will sell the two for \$2,500. Dandy proposition.

ROYCE REAL ESTATE CO.

611 Ferry Street

FOR SALE

MAIN STREET STORE

Ladies' furnishings and ready-to-wear goods, fine stock and fixtures; best location in town. Price \$3,000.

Royce Real Estate Co.

611 Ferry Street

LOOK HERE

I have had a number of inquiries for the new modern five room cottage and barn near Madison street, and someone is going to get this snap soon. First come, first served.

FRANK G. ROTH, Majestic Bldg.

BEARS AND CABLES SHOOT WHEAT DOWN

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—Bearish cables, heavy receipts and a renewal of the steady bear campaign shot wheat down again today, though the market displayed a rising tendency late in the day's trading. May, down 2½c at the start, edged up fractionally until it had gained ¾c over the opening, ruling at \$1.22¾. July opened 2½c lower, but gained 1½c later, selling at \$1.19½.

Bullish Argentine news overcame the bear tendency in corn. After a lower opening May shot up 1½c to 77½c and July up 1c to 77½c.

Oats was strong with corn, the markets displaying the same tendencies. May was 1½c up at 46½c after opening ½c down. July was ¾c up at 44½c.

Provisions were firm to slightly higher.

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—Wheat.—No. 2 red, \$1.21½ to \$1.23½; No. 3 red, \$1.17½ to \$1.21; No. 2 hard, \$1.20½ to \$1.23; No. 3 hard, \$1.15½ to \$1.18½; No. 3 spring, \$1.20 to \$1.22½.

Corn.—No. 2 yellow, 78c; No. 3 yellow, 71c to 72½c; No. 5 yellow, 67c to 70c; No. 6 yellow, 58c to 66c; No. 3 white, 74c; No. 4 white, 71½c to 72c; No. 5 white, 68c to 70c; No. 6 white, 57c to 62c; No. 2 mixed, 76½c to 77c; No. 3 mixed, 70¾c to 74c; No. 4 mixed, 71¾c to 75¾c; No. 5 mixed, 65c to 69c; No. 6 mixed, 54c to 58c.

Oats.—No. 3 white, 44c to 44½c; No. 4 white, 32c to 43½c; standard, 45c to 46½c.

Barley, 65c to 75c.

Timothy, \$5.50 to \$8.00.

Clover, \$10.00 to \$20.00.

WHEAT—

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	122	123½	120½	123½
July	118	119½	117½	119½

CORN—

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	76½	78	76¼	78¼
July	76½	78	76¾	77¾

OATS—

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	46	46½	45½	46¾
July	44	44½	43½	44½

BARLEY—

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	20.70	20.90	20.65	20.87
July	20.70	20.87	20.65	20.85

CLARK—

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	10.40	10.45	10.37	10.45
July	10.60	10.62	10.52	10.62

RIBS—

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	11.52	11.60	11.47	11.57
July	11.62	11.70	11.57	11.70

WINSLOW TO TESTIFY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Admiral Winslow, commander of the Pacific fleet, who has been on the west coast of Mexico, arrived in Washington yesterday and was to appear before the house naval affairs committee today.

Farms

HERE'S A FEW:

Dairy Farm

5 miles from La Crosse, 140 acres. Elegant 8 room house. Barn 56x36, holds 24 head. Ice house, garage, granary, two story milk house, wood house, machine sheds, stone silo, gasoline engine, all farm machinery, Maxwell automobile, 20 head stock (10 milch cows), 2 horses, milk wagons, bottles, etc. Milk route averages \$37.80 per week the year round. Price \$6,000. Will take city house part payment.

80 Acre Farm

7 miles from La Crosse. Clay soil, 50 acres plowland; good buildings; basement barn; all machinery and wagons; 3 horses, 5 head stock, chickens and geese; all feed. Orchard. Lots of timber. Price \$4,000; terms. Will take house as part payment.

Truck and Chicken Farm

3½ miles from La Crosse. Five room new house. New barn, other improvements. 10 acres of level soil and 20 acres of fine hay land, all for \$1,800, terms.

Royce Real Estate Co.

611 Ferry Street

House Bargains

HERE'S A FEW:

STRICTLY MODERN

8 room house, easy walking distance, hot water heat, 3 rooms rented for \$32 per month. Price \$4,200. Terms one-half down. Near Fifth and Ferry.

DANDY CHEAP HOUSE

7 rooms, large lot, fine condition, near Eleventh and Tyler. Price \$1,200.

5 room house, barn, chicken coop, \$1,000, terms.

EXCLUSIVE DISTRICT

8 rooms, one of the best—South 14th street. \$6,000, terms.

BARGAIN \$900

4 room house, fine shape, near Tenth and Denton.

MODERN EXCEPT HEAT

9 room brick, lot 60x140. Fine garden. Price \$2,400.

PARTLY MODERN

6 room house on South Ninth near Market. A bargain at \$1,750.

STRICTLY MODERN HOUSE

five rooms and bath, laundry in basement, furnace, electricity and gas. Price \$2,200. \$300 down. Balance like rent. 16th and Winnebago.

Royce Real Estate Co.

611 Ferry Street

If one has had no surgical operation, he is apt to discuss the time the doctors gave him up to die.

DOERFLINGER'S

SAVE OUR STAMPS

SAMPLE SALE
An assortment including Shirt Waists, Dresses, Kimonos, Aprons, and various articles of ready to wear.
values up to 50c, for 15c
Thursday, each
(Limit one.)

TOOTH BRUSHES
Tooth Brushes, with good bristles, straight and curved, transparent handles, in various colors, values up to 20c, special for Thursday, each
(Limit one.)

COVERALL APRONS
Coverall Aprons, made of good quality ginghams, taped edges, belted back, pocket, very serviceable garment, special for Employees' Sale Thursday
(Limit one.)

BOYS' BLOUSES
Boys' Blouses, made of flannel-ette, and wash materials, high military collars, open cuffs, tapeless, sizes 6 to 15, special for Employees' Sale, Thursday
(Limit two)

WOMEN'S VESTS
Women's white ribbed fleeced Vests, with Dutch neck, elbow sleeves. Pants to match. Special for Employees' Sale Thursday, per garment
(Limit two to a customer)

WOMEN'S ROSE
Women's outside or extra wide fast black and seamless Cotton Hose, with elastic ribbed tops, offered special for Thursday, at per pair
(Limit 2 pair to a customer)

CROCHET COTTON
Royal Society Crochet Cotton, in all numbers, Cordichet brand, special for Thursday per ball
(Limit 4 balls to a customer)

TEA KETTLE
will buy Tea Kettle, blue and white lined, enamelware, or the all white kind, really worth 75c and 95c, 9 o'clock until sold—limit one.

CUPS and SAUCERS
will buy Cup or Saucer, white and gold, decoration, newest shape. No cups sold without saucers, actually worth 10c each. Limit 6

DRESS FLOUNCINGS
An assortment of 45-inch Organza Dress Flouncings, very handsome embroidered patterns, 75c and 85c values, special Thursday, per yard
39c

Bigger and Better Bargains For Thursday

EMPLOYEES' SALE

Bargains From About The Store
MEN'S NECKWEAR
Men's Neckwear, including tecks, four-in-hands and bows, various colors, Thursday at
5c

CLOTH HATS
An assortment of Cloth Hats, various sizes, values up to \$1.50, special for Thursday
49c
Limit one.

PEACHES
Delicious Canned Peaches, special for Employees' Sale Thursday
10c
Limit two to a customer.

CORN STARCH
Three packages of Corn Starch Thursday for
10c
Limit three.

CRACKER JACK
Delicious fresh Cracker Jack, special for Employees' Sale Thursday at per package
3c
Limit one.

PLAYER ROLLS
Piano Player Rolls, various popular titles, special for Employees' Sale Thursday
5c
Limit two.

If You Will Buy 25c Worth of Groceries Selected From The List Below
1/2 lb. Ginger 5c
1/2 lb. Mustard 5c
1/2 lb. Cinnamon 5c
1/2 lb. Allspice 5c
1/2 lb. Cloves 5c
Box of 500 Matches 5c
Pretzels, per pound 10c
Ginger Snaps, pound 10c
Oyster Crackers, pound 10c
Lump Starch, pound 5c
Oatmeal, per pound 5c
Peas, per can 10c
Corn, per can 10c
Sauerkraut, No. 3 can 10c
Tapioca, per pound 10c
Wine Vinegar, gallon 15c
Cider Vinegar, gallon 25c
Head Rice, pound 10c

We Will Sell You Any One of the Underlined 10c Articles for One Cent:
Kellogg's Toasted Corn Flakes
Post Toasties
Quaker Oats
Quaker Corn Meal
Samoset Crackers
Graham Crackers
Van Camp's Catsup
10c Jar of Pickles

FASHION NOTE

Our Millinery buyer has just returned from the eastern markets with a full stock of the newest, smartest and most fashionable creations of New Spring Hats, both trimmed and untrimmed, also a beautiful display of Flowers, Novelties, etc.

SPECIAL NOTICE
Experienced Millinery Salesladies wanted. Apply to Mgr. of Millinery Dept.

We Will Reserve The Right to Limit Quantities on All Items Advertised

Yard Fabrics For Thursday
Employees' Sale
69c for 85c 24 inch Colored Messalines
Big range of colors, suitable for dresses, waists and lining purposes.
15c for 25c 27 inch Colored New Cloth
Very strong and durable, excellent for children's and misses' play suits, full color range.
59c for 75c 36 inch Silk Poppins
Beautiful corded weave, a comprehensive showing of all the leading spring colors.
15c for 18c 36 inch Long Cloth
Long Cloths are advancing in price. Lay in your supply while this sale is on. 12 yard bolts for \$1.75 or 15c a yard.
79c for \$1.00 54 inch Black Sicilian Cloth
Fine English make; reversible, especially recommended for summer suits and separate skirts.
98c for \$1.25 36 inch white Habutai Silks
A quality that will instantly please you. Full yard wide, highly recommended for confirmation dresses and waists.

SHORT WAISTS
Shirt Waists, made of good quality white lawn, popular styles, pique edged hemstitched collars, pearl buttons, special for Employees' Sale Thursday, each
(Limit one.)

White Plisse Crepes 8 1/4 yard
For Thursday we offer white Plisse Crepes, of best quality, excellent for dresses, waists, night gowns, etc. Sold ordinarily at 12c a yard, special for Thursday, per yard
(Limit 10 yards.)

CLEARING SALE OF HATS
In order to make a quick clearance of a broken lot of Hats, we offer them as a special for our Employees' Sale Thurs. values up to \$3.00, each
(Limit one)

SHINOLA OUTFIT
Shinola Outfit, consisting of sheep's wool brush and black bristle dauber, packed in a neat box, special for Thursday, per set
(Limit one)

FACE CLOTHS
Made of excellent quality of white absorbent cotton, sanitary mesh on one side, tufted on the other; over-stitched edge, tape hanger, Thursday
2c

MEN'S NIGHT SHIRTS
Men's Muslin Night Shirts, well made, full cut, full length, special for Employees' Sale Thursday, each
29c
Limit two.

RICE BOILER
will buy Double Rice Boiler, blue and white lined, 2 quart size, actually worth 75c, 9 o'clock until sold—limit one.

SALT BOX
will buy China Salt Box, with wooden lid, decorations of blue, actually worth 20c, (Limit one)

JAP ROSE SOAP
The famous Jap Rose Soap, on sale special for Thursday, per bar
5 1/2c
(Limit two)

BORAX
Regular 1 pound of 20 Mule Team Borax, Thursday for
8c
(Limit one)

SHEETS
Good quality bleached seamed Sheets, on sale Thursday at each
33c
(Limit two)

RIBBONS
Silk Taffeta Ribbon, 5 1/4 inches wide, in black, white and large variety of colors, special for Thursday, per yard
13c

BOB'S CONFIDENT OF VICTORY FOR FORCES IN STATE

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democratic government and he predicted that the Wisconsin delegation to the national convention would be elected by the people as unanimously for Senator La Follette.
Walter D. Corrigan of Milwaukee, also addressed the assembly.
District conferences were held following the general conference. A committee of 11 will be appointed, one from each district, to perfect organization plans.

FLETCHER PROPOSED FOR MEXICAN POST

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Henry P. Fletcher was today recommended for confirmation as Ambassador to Mexico, by a 12 to 2 vote of the senate foreign relations committee.
This action follows the president's partial answer to Senator Fall's resolution asking for full information as to the recognition of the Carranza government and its ability to restore order.

ARMS EMBARGO IS ADVOCATED BY BADGER SENATOR

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first sentence announcing his candidacy brought a demonstration.
"I believe that patriotic progressive republicans are at this time under the highest moral obligation to contest every foot of ground in every state in the union for representation in the Chicago convention," declared Senator La Follette. "And I believe that the principles of real progressive republicanism—the clear, unflinching principles vital to fundamental democracy—will find the truest expression in the progressive republican delegation which Wisconsin will elect to the Chicago convention on the fourth day of April."
7,000,000 Willing Voters
"The 7,000,000 republican voters were not a willing party to what took place at the Chicago convention in 1912. It was the period of unrestrained trust growth, when the capitalization of combinations, more than 75 per cent of which was fictitious, multiplied ten-fold—and the cost of living almost doubled. It culminated in a disgraceful campaign of personal revilement between the two leading candidates to determine which should have the opportunity to continue the same policies of administration."
Senator La Follette paid a high tribute to the work of progressive leaders in congress the past four years and said that except for the betrayal of his well-ordered progressive movement in 1912, the progressives would be in the ascendancy today.
"The great danger of the Chicago convention lies in the possibility of a wild, unrestrained jingoism, nominating the candidate and making the platform," continued Senator La Follette. "Whatever the program of the present administration, Mr. Morgan's Navy league of the United States will be assailing it as unworthy the support of any progressive American citizen. Nothing will quite satisfy Morgan and his dollar-scattered heroes of the navy league. Their greed grown by what it feeds on. Ever and ever a bigger army, a bigger navy, is their swelling cry. That is the end and object of their yearning."
Militarism and Graft
Senator La Follette said that the present policy of militarism now being hastily pushed would open the door to such graft as was never before dreamed of. He declared in favor of the national manufacture of munitions of war.
"I am in favor of an act placing an embargo upon the exportation of arms and ammunition," said Senator La Follette. He said that he believed the time opportune to try the experiment of government owned ships that will free in some measure our foreign and coastwise trade from the oppression of the shipping monopoly. He declared in favor of using the standing army in social service of the government in times of peace. He favored a conference of neutral nations for the purpose of promoting by co-operation and by its friendly offices the early cessation of hostilities and the establishment of peace between the warring nations. He denounced the water-power bill now pending before congress as a bad measure.
Same Problems in 1912
"I am here, my friends, to say," continued the senator, "that the republican voters of Wisconsin will never hand their suffrages over to Emanuel L. Philipp to use as trading stock in the political game of the trusts and monopolies of the country. The republican party today faces the same crisis that confronted it in 1912. If the progressive republicans of the country make a united and determined fight in their respective states we will have a representation at the Chicago convention that will block the forces of privilege and restore the party to its rightful place in the confidence of the American people."

known. Both productions will be staged upon a scale of sumptuous, commensurate with Miss Robson's ideals and knowledge of her art and sartorial embellishments, particularly the gowning of the ladies, we are told will delight the feminine heart.
STOCK FOOD
Teddalively speaking "The Traveling Salesman" will be in the city again tonight and will be pleased to see all the friends of the Ted Dalley Stock company that haven't seen this great play and as many of those that have seen it and enjoyed the play and wish to see it again, and to show them the finest line of beautiful and expensive gowns, suits and coats ever shown in any city—and, oh, yes—the Galt-Wilson hat too, the very latest word in new spring millinery.
Owing to the fact that the company gave way to "It Pays to Advertise" last night—some real show by the way too—there will be a special matinee Thursday, at 2:30 of "The Traveling Salesman" and the Style Show.
On next Sunday Fine Feathers
FOR TIRED SCHOOL CHILDREN
Boys and girls who have been bending over their desks for weeks and months, and often studying at home late into the night, get into a weak, nervous, run-down condition, and wise mothers will take the advice of our local druggists, Hoesch Bros., and give such children Vinol, because it is a non-secret preparation which contains the three oldest tonics known, and is guaranteed to strengthen and restore health to weak, overworked, run-down people, and to cure chronic coughs, colds and bronchitis, or you can get your money back.

SPOTLIGHTS

AUNT MARY COMES BACK
May Robson, a comedienne, whose name is reminiscent of mirth on account of the many mirthful hours which she has given those that follow the theater, is to be the attraction at the La Crosse theater in two of her best known successes, tendering for Monday night, her almost classic, "The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary", and for Tuesday night, James Forbes' new play of character, entitled "The Making Over of Mrs. Matt". In both plays, she will have the support of such well known artists as Jack Story, Cy Weaver, Smith Davies, George Hall, Marie Pavey, Edith Conrad, Elizabeth Warren, Ridler Davies and near a half score more players equally well

will be the offering, matinee and night. This is the first time that this play has ever been produced for less than \$1 prices and Ted Dalley is going to charge the same 10 and 20 cent prices as he does for all the other of his good offerings. Only four performances of this play will be given, owing to the fact that Miss May Robson will be at the La Crosse theater Monday and Tuesday nights. Special attention has been given to mountings of the show scientifically and the artist, Mr. William Solby, is giving "Fine Feathers" a setting such as a stock production has never before had in La Crosse. New gowns have been secured for the play direct from the Style show in New York, and it will be a Ted Dalley Stock production from start to finish.
WHITLOCK NEWEST CANDIDATE FOR WAR DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Brand Whitlock for secretary of war to succeed Lindley M. Garrison. This report was in circulation today. With the White House mum, congress manifested great interest in the possibility.
It was said President Wilson favored Whitlock for many reasons. Whitlock's diplomatic record, his personal popularity, unquestioned ability, and "progressive" democracy were elements cited in his favor.
The appointment would be considered in the nature of a reward for Whitlock's service in Belgium.
It's easier to induce two hearts to beat as one than it is to induce two mouths to eat that way.

BLAST IN ALLIS WAR PLANT IS SERIOUS TO TWO
MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 23.—Two men were seriously injured today in an explosion at the Allis-Chalmers company's plant in West Allis which has been making munitions of war for the allies. Officials of the company denied the explosion was caused from outside sources. Max Babb, attorney for the company, issued a statement saying that the men were injured when an acetylene gas generator exploded. The men, Tony Baekuchy and John Lemenes, both laborers, are in a dangerous condition at Trinity hospital. The plant is constantly under heavy guard.
I. C. C. SHOULD SET RATES
WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The interstate commerce commission and not congress should determine systems and rates of paying railroads for mail transportation, Senator Curtis of Kansas declared yesterday.
EVERYONE LIKES THIS COLD CURE
"Pape's Cold Compound" ends a cold or gripe in a few hours.
Your cold will break and all gripe misery end after taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken.
It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves stiff headache, dizziness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.
Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute.

Headaches, Neuralgia, Rheumatic Pains
Blackburn's CascaRoyal-Pills
Often banished By Relieving Constipation